

# The Five Star Stories<sup>®</sup>

The background of the cover is a detailed illustration. At the top, the title 'The Five Star Stories' is written in a large, white, serif font. Below the title, a large, stylized, purple and white mechanical face with closed eyes and a small mouth dominates the upper half. The face has long, thin, white, wing-like structures extending outwards. In the center, a woman with long, dark blue hair, wearing a red dress with a floral pattern on the bodice, is sitting on the ground. She is looking towards the viewer with a slight smile. The ground is a dark, textured surface with some mechanical details. The overall color palette is dominated by purples, whites, and reds.

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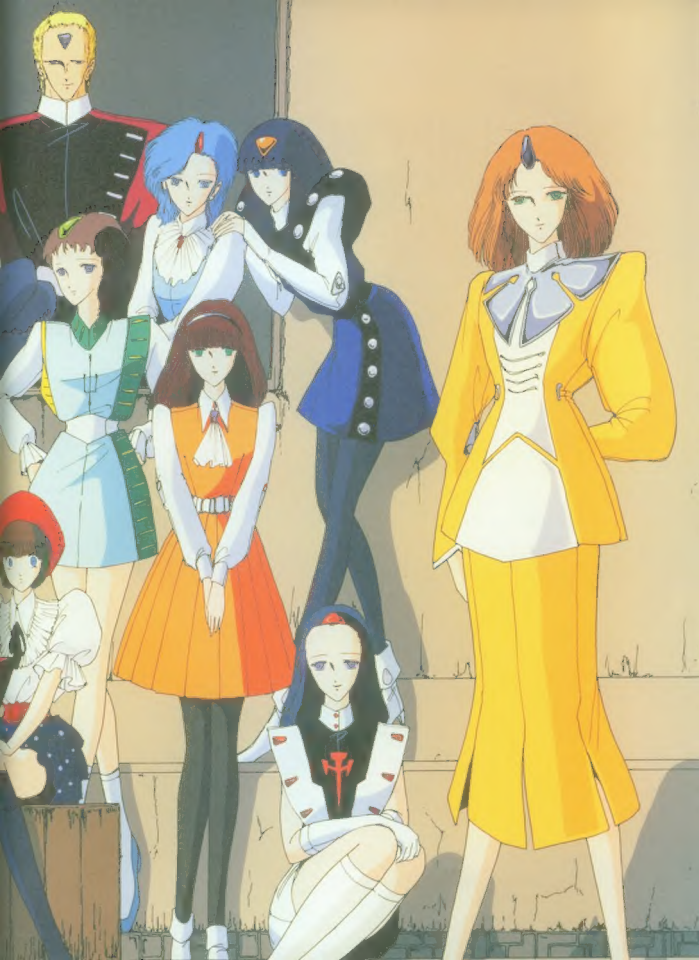
# The Five Star Stories<sup>®</sup> IV

Well, Lachesis finally got to marry Ladios Sopp, who turned out to be somewhat of a surprise, and ride in a mortar headd made of gold. The scene now turns to her sister Clotho's protector, Colus III, and the war of aggression suddenly and enigmatically waged against his dynasty by the neighboring country of Hagooda. The Galaxy's attention is instantly drawn away from the fiasco that took place on Addler to a conflict that threatens the stability of one of its superpowers in the Trio de Colus. Hungry, imperialistic eyes fix upon the situation from strategic command centers in countries throughout the Galaxy, waiting to seize the moment when the planet of Jūno is put up for grabs, thrust into a chaotic military-political vacuum by Hagooda's folly.



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Mortar Headd

## Berlin (Green)

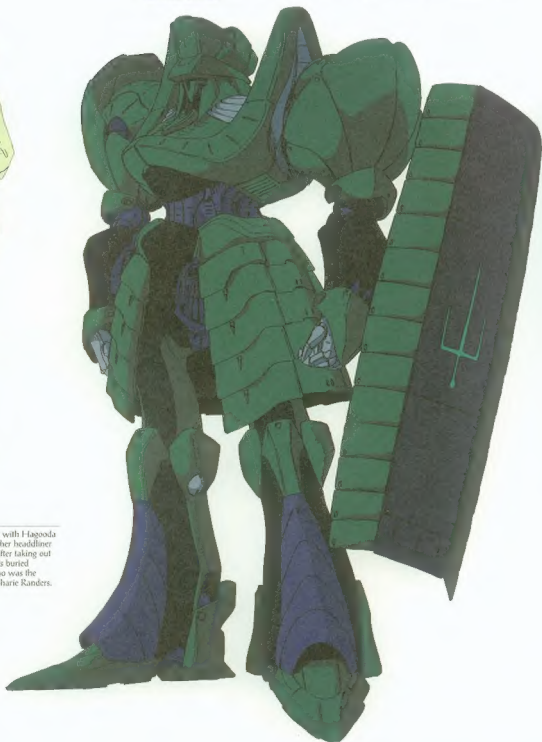
The stalwart of the Trio de Colus M4-I forces, designed by the famous meight Rowmiran Xbin (pronounced "cross-bean"). This dark green Berlin is the standard model, not of the Trio arsenal, and is a sibling to Valshe the Black Knight, which was also designed by Xbin. Over 100 Berlins will be produced as of JC 3960, making them very popular commodities. Their elegant designs marked by headpieces in the shape of the official Colus dynasty head gear and bodies fashioned like a traditional Japanese "yoroi" suit of armor complement well this kingdom of deep verdure and long heritage ruled by the warrior-king Colus III. The dominant edge enjoyed by the Trio Berlins, which are more or less identical to the standard model functionally, must be attributed to the skill of the headliners and fatimas who pilot them. In the JC 3969 war on Ilimo, about one-third of the Berlins will be lost in the fighting, while the armor on some of the replacement models will be designed somewhat differently.



Fatima Fates

## Elma

The fatima who in the war with Hagooda dies of wounds along with her headliner partner Paurouth Randers after taking out seven Maglow M4-I's. She is buried together with Paurouth, who was the brother of Mirage Knight Sharie Randers.







## Uralgo Kentauri

No. 1 headliner (called Red Commander, or Testarossa) of the Fillmore Empire's Kneue Sylliss knights and Lader XIII's "secret dagger," in charge of the Empire's covert activities. The dedication to duty demanded by such deep trust by Lader will ultimately shorten his career. It all begins with a fateful encounter with Colus III, when the then heir to the throne was still a college student. After being humiliated in public by the young prince, Uralgo takes every opportunity to avenge his honor by laying claim to Colus' head. One such occasion comes as the Red Commander and leader of the so-called "Boowray mercenaries," who join the I-lagooda forces against Colus in 2989, seizes the moment in a joust with A-11-1 Junchoon with a newly awakened Clotho in the fatima seat.

## Mortar Headd Boowray (Red)

Also known as the Rainbow Boowray, a fleet of these MH-Is is piloted by one of the most feared groups of mercenary headliners in the Galaxy. There are seven models in existence, each painted a color of the rainbow. They all have Siren-type armor and are designed to adapt to any kind of battle condition imaginable with a flexible arsenal of weapons that can be added or removed as the situation demands. The Boowray Mercenaries join the I-lagooda forces in the invasion of Colus Dynasty territory in 2989, playing a major role in the deepest penetration that will be made during the war into the kingdom of Ballanka. An attack launched by the Yellow Boowray on Colus' new MH-1 Junchoon while on a trial run results in the death of the King's fatima Ulicol and a seriously injured, but enraged, monarch.



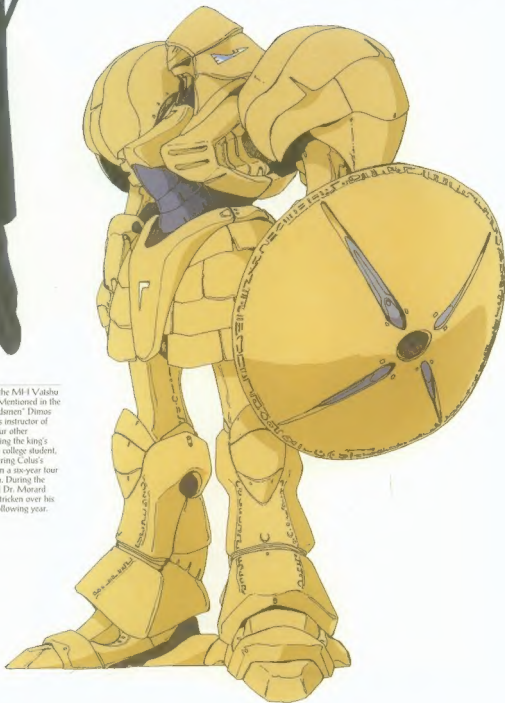


## Roados Dragon

The second black knight, owner of the MI-I Vatslu and therefore master to fatima Est. Mentioned in the same breath with the "sage of swordsmen" Dimas I-kahrahi, he is the chief martial arts instructor of the Trio De Colus. In addition to four other countries, he first met Colus III during the king's adventure in Kallamity while still a college student, offering swordsmanship training during Colus's rehabilitation and further tutelage on a six-year tour of the Galaxy upon his recuperation. During the War of 9989 he and his close friend Dr. Morard offer moral support to Colus, grief-stricken over his loss of Uiscul. Sir Roados dies the following year.

## Mortar Head Maglow

The main MI-I force of the Hagooda Empire developed under the sponsorship of Kings Lader VIII of Fillmore and Collet of Fatmutha. Although sort of flimsy looking, as seen in the episode of Paurouth Randers and Elma, the Maglows prove a formidable foe to the mighty Berlin. As a matter of fact, all MI-I's are essentially the same. While the LED Mirage and Sirens may have higher capacity power units, winning or losing a battle ultimately depends on the talents of the headliner and fatima piloting these electrical knights. Just one strategically applied blow from a skillful knight and his partner can turn even an LED Mirage, Berlin or Siren into a scrap heap. The exceptions to this rule in the Joker Galaxy are the Knight of Gold and the last Mirage, which no Maglow could even get close enough to strike such a blow.







Fatima Meister

## Morard Carbyte

One of the most accomplished fatima meights in the *Faker Galaxy*, his masterpieces include fatima fates Est and Ulicul. His piece de résistance, Tower, will be completed in JC 3100. As rival and best friend to fellow meight Chrono Ballanche, most of his fatimas have become partners of Trio de Colus headliners, while many of Ballanche's creations have found their way into the Amaterasu camp of Mirage Knights. A close friend of Colus III, after the king's death, Morard will be invited by Amaterasu, upon her loss of lifelong friend Ballanche, to create fatimas for the AKD knights. His life will be changed forever upon meeting the "fortune fatima" at Colus' palace in 2989.



Fatima Fates

## Ulicul

Created by Dr. Morard Carbyte, a fatima meight rivaling the genius of Dr. Ballanche. She meets Colus III during his college days in 2957, while he is on vacation in Kallamity. She is entrusted to him directly by Dr. Morard without the formalities of a fatima debut. The king's deep love for Ulicul becomes a very painful aspect of his marriage to Queen Elmelah. In 2989, during a test run of M1 Jünchoon in the war with Hagooda, she fights to the death to save a badly wounded Colus, who is facing an M9-I of the Boowray fleet. She has been modeled after the Rumanian world champion gymnast Nadia Comanache.



## Trao Ballanka

Having lost many friends including Colus III in the War with Hagooda in 2989, Trao becomes the purest adherent to the ideas held by Colus. He becomes the lord of Ballanka in 3021 and greatly influences the education of Colus IV. He and Mirage Knight #14 Sharie Randers marry in 2993 and they live in marital bliss for the next 100 years.

## Colus

The ruler of the Trio De Colus empire that flourishes on planet Jinn. Known as the "warrior king," his is a headliner who pilots his own mortar beadd with his fatima partner, Uficul, a creation of Dr. Morard Carlyle. He took Elmelah to be his queen and she bore him a daughter, Saylai. Four generations of the Colus dynasty, beginning with Colus III, co-star with Amaleran in our Five Star Stories. They are also the guardians of Fatima Fates Clotho. The symbol of the Colus dynasty is the pure white mortar beadd Jinnchoon.



Dedicated to Fatimas Everywhere

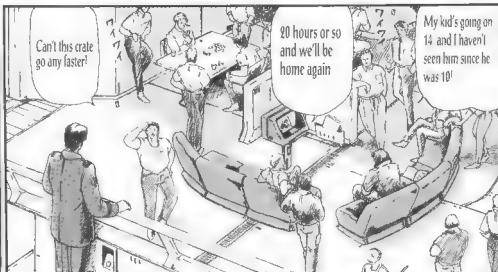
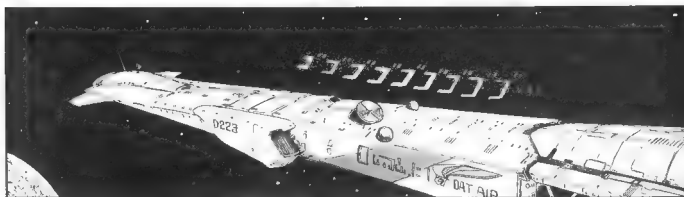
# The Five Star Stories

## IV

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Stand by! An unidentified vessel approaching at high speed from the rear.



How crazy can you get! Trying to violate our air space!



He's now off the port side and is going to make contact with our shield.



It's the Boowray Rainbow! The Seven Knights, Both's mercenaries of death.



Captain! That mark...

Get his colors. We'll sue his ass for gross neglect of Galaxy law.

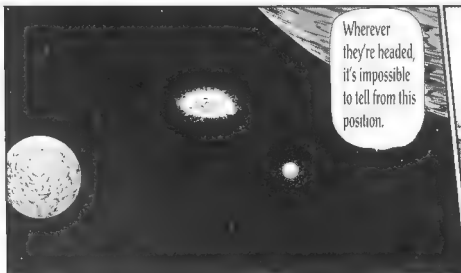
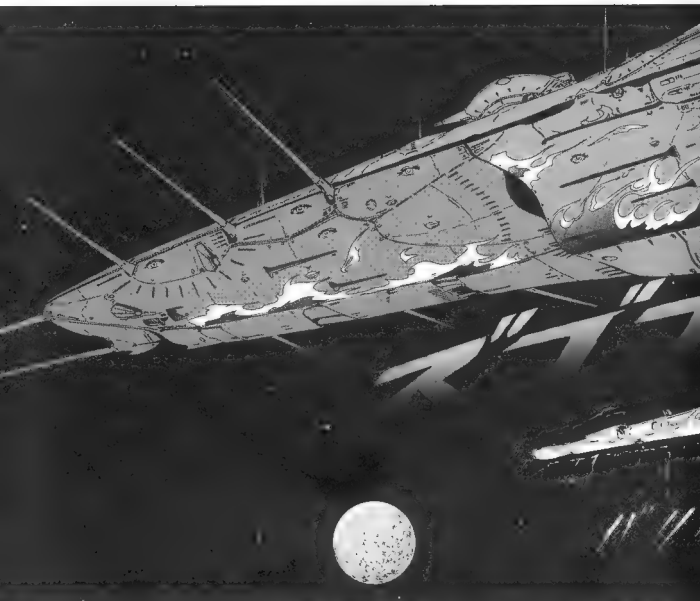


Damn! The cargo...

It's a battle-ship!





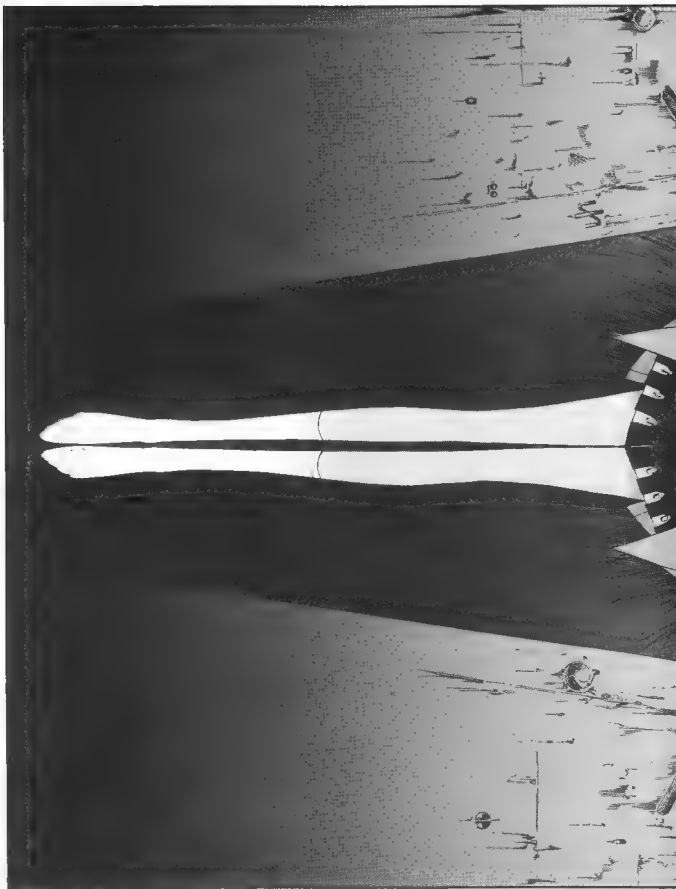


Wherever  
they're headed,  
it's impossible  
to tell from this  
position.



I thought they  
were lost out in  
the Anthurino  
space region.



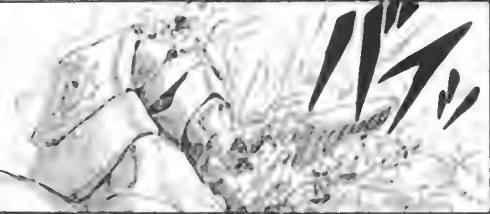




J.C. 2989

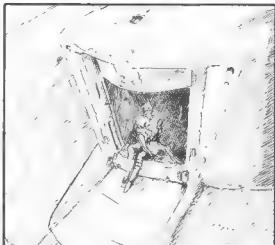
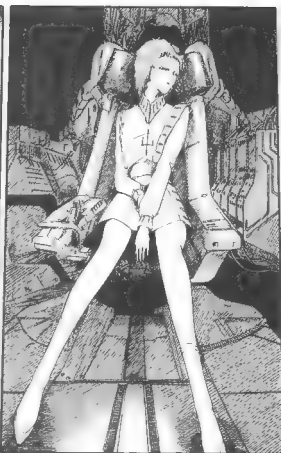
The Colus Dynasty's principality of Ballanka on  
Jüno, the 3rd planet in the Southern Solar System.

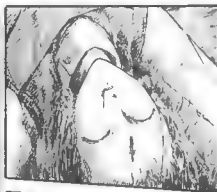
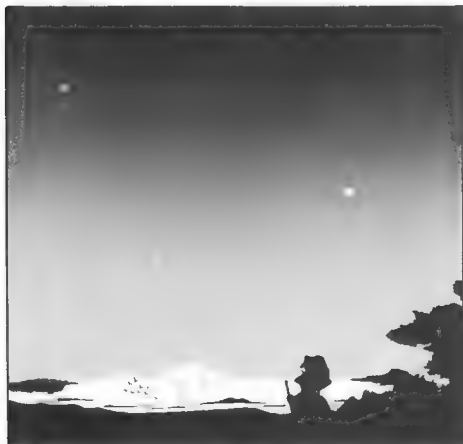


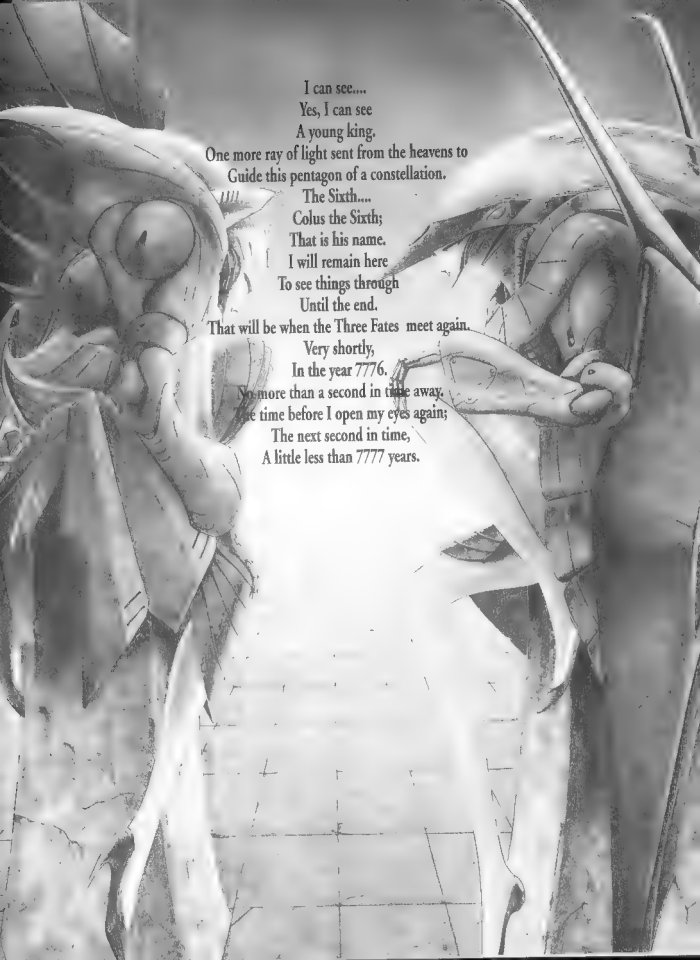








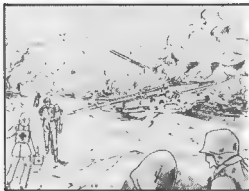
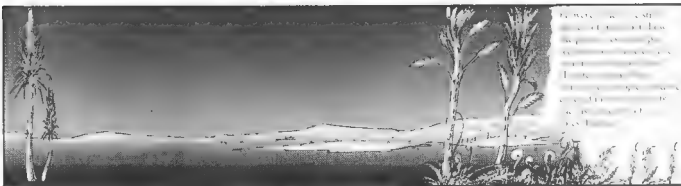




I can see....  
Yes, I can see  
A young king.  
One more ray of light sent from the heavens to  
Guide this pentagon of a constellation.  
The Sixth....  
Colus the Sixth;  
That is his name.  
I will remain here  
To see things through  
Until the end.  
That will be when the Three Fates meet again.  
Very shortly,  
In the year 7776.  
No more than a second in time away.  
The time before I open my eyes again;  
The next second in time,  
A little less than 7777 years.



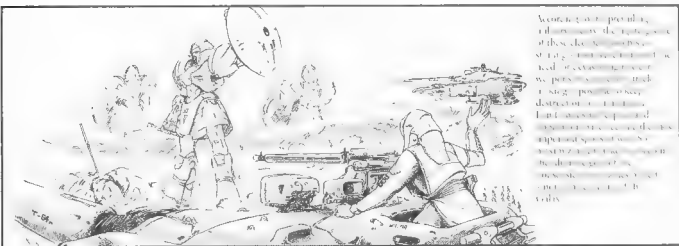
When humans arrived there several thousand years ago, the planet was blanketed in the verdure of lichen and mossy-green growth. In the process of reclaiming the inhospitable plants and domestic animals were introduced, resulting in an ecology functioning like any other inhabited planet on our planet.



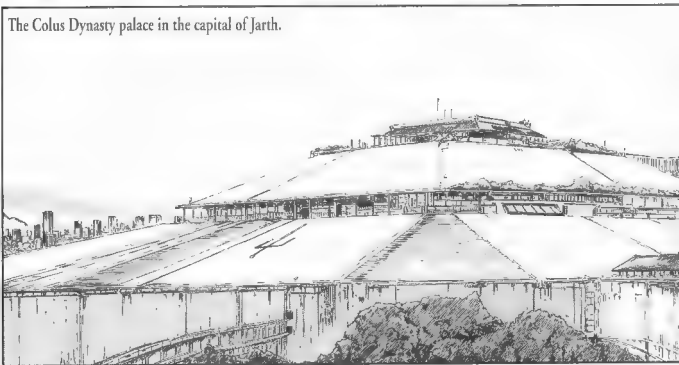
A 1980 survey of  
 1000 teachers in  
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 that 70% of  
 the teachers reported  
 that they had  
 been involved in  
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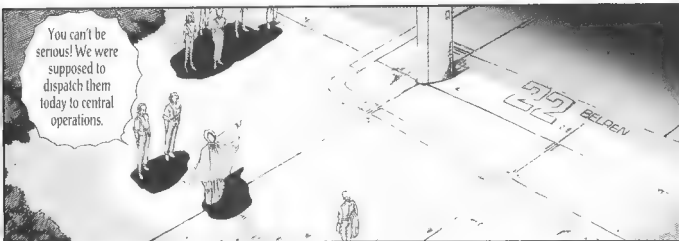
Pronounced Ah may may ohs



According to preliminary reports, the majority of these alien troops are still in the area and need to be eliminated. We must be ready to strike at any moment to prevent destruction of the city. I have been ordered to ensure that the most important points of the city are protected. I will be in the city for the next few days. I will be in the city for the next few days.



The Colus Dynasty palace in the capital of Jarth.



You can't be serious! We were supposed to dispatch them today to central operations.





Until then, what  
about the palace  
king of Berlins!

We understand,  
Your Highness  
Give us two days.  
In two days we can  
outfit about 50



I'm not talking about  
the Berlins...  
I need the Ki La Las  
and the Amalongs  
Now you tell me  
they're not ready?  
This is the Palace,  
damn it.

Just 500 kilometers away a million armed men are staring at each other, waiting on you.



They'll think we're desperate for M.H.s. We'll be a laughing stock!

You must be out of  
your mind man!  
Putting the Colus  
palace wedge\* in the  
field against those  
fools from Hagooda.



No, no... I'm the one who should apologize.



Forgive me,  
Prince Trao.



Against an upstart like Hagooda, who's been in existence for what? some four or five hundred years. Impossible.

To think that the knights of the Colus Dynasty can't fully man the field. I



.. But I have to remind you all the same. Our MI-1 strength in the field is presently down to 60% capacity.

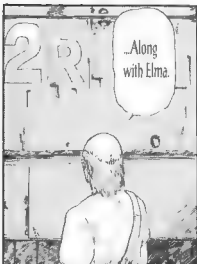
I know that  
you are tired  
and depressed.



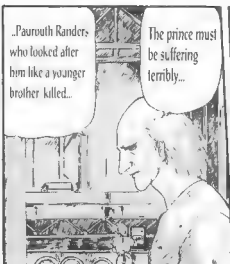
Do the best  
you can  
please.



We understand.  
Your Hobness.

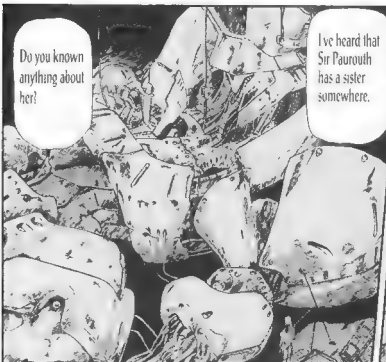
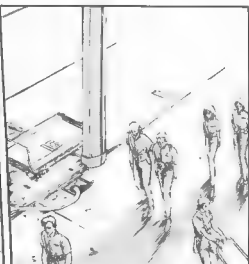


..Along  
with Elma.



..Paurouth Randers  
who looked after  
him like a younger  
brother killed...

The prince must  
be suffering  
terribly...



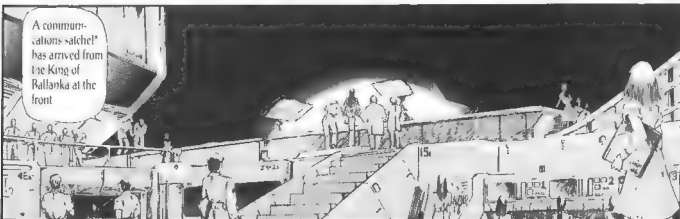
Do you know  
anything about  
her?

I've heard that  
Sir Paurouth  
has a sister  
somewhere.



..Making a total  
of nine vacancies  
to be filled in the  
Trio de Colus  
Temple Knights

That's the  
only Berlin  
to return ..



A communi-  
cations satchel\*  
has arrived from  
the King of  
Ballanka at the  
front

He requests 12 of the divisions now undergoing reorganization to be dispatched to Mount for training

The situation has been at a standstill for the past 3 days.

What does he have to say?

It seems that Hagooda is beginning to tire...

May I mention, Your Majesty that for the past month MH encounters have stabilized to a steady rate of two every 10 days

In all honesty, I can't believe we've not been able to retake them

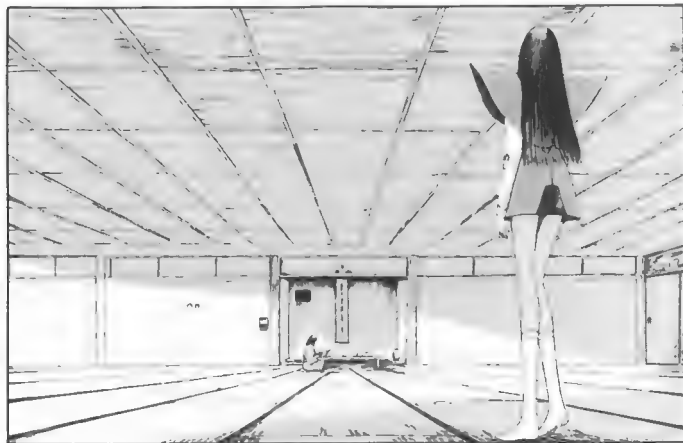
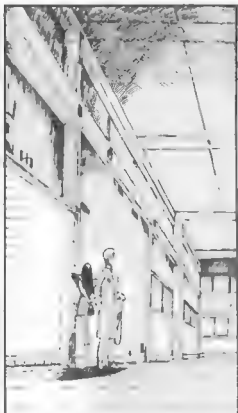
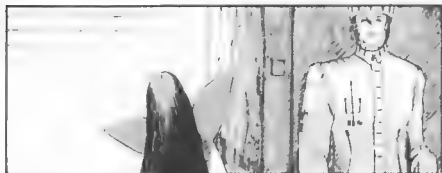
It's been four months since Hagooda occupied those four counties.

...But we have reports that another unidentified MH was spotted yesterday

And to top it all off a poor harvest this year would put our administrative capabilities in serious danger

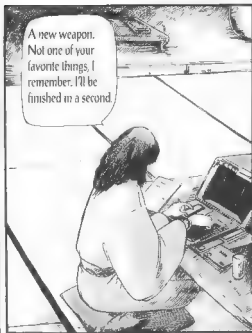
The harvest season is two months away. The people who have been chased from their land, and the soldiers at the front are nervous and ready to bolt. We can't carry on the war with just headless soldiers

The troops sent us from our allies in Milan and Illad are tired and need leave to return home





No, I don't mind...  
What is it?

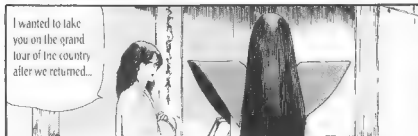
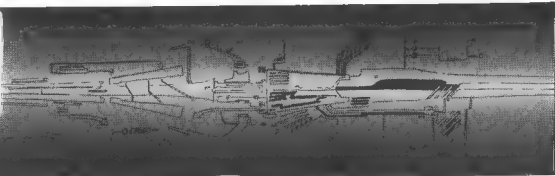


A new weapon.  
Not one of your favorite things, I remember. I'll be finished in a second.

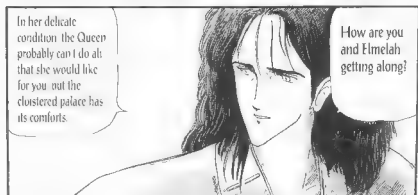


What are you doing?

A peidoll spire for the Berlin. It's going to take 6 months to a year to complete.



I wanted to take you on the grand tour of the country after we returned...



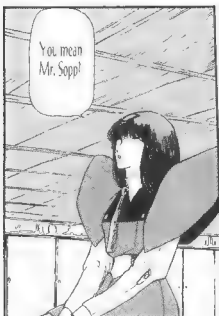
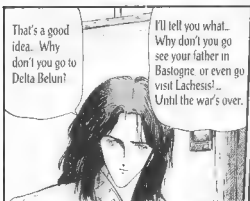
In her delicate condition the Queen probably can't do all that she would like for you, but the cloistered palace has its comforts.

How are you and Elmelah getting along?



Come over here. We haven't talked in a while.

I've been so preoccupied with Meister and Ballanka... All I can think about these days is weapons.









It was during my college days. I was studying abroad in Marutara on Kallamity. One day I set out alone with a letter of introduction from my father, Colus II, for Morard's place up in the mountains near the border.

Kallamity Gooders J.C. 2957





It'll be night-  
fall before I  
get there.



..And not a  
word about the  
border with  
Thamantha!

Ten kilometers  
from town! You  
didn't mention  
the two moun-  
tains in between,  
dad..



What a liar!  
Why didn't  
you tell me!



Dad, you're  
such a nerd!

There's no  
turning back  
now.



...To keep it  
from rattling.



I should  
probably  
stow this  
away...

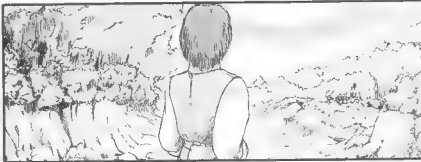


Say hi to the  
birds, Colus



You, back there!

Hey you!



You'd better beat it if you don't want to get hurt.

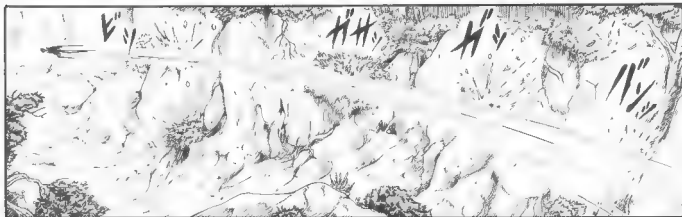
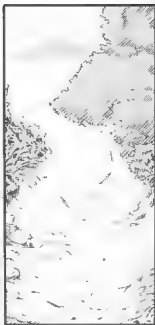
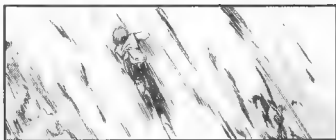


Playing hide-and-seek with me can be awful tiring. Why don't you just come on out now!



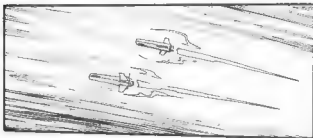
Want to play games now?





Could be a  
haddliner.

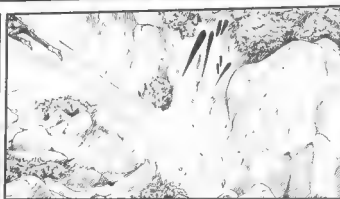
Still there  
can't be, eve I'

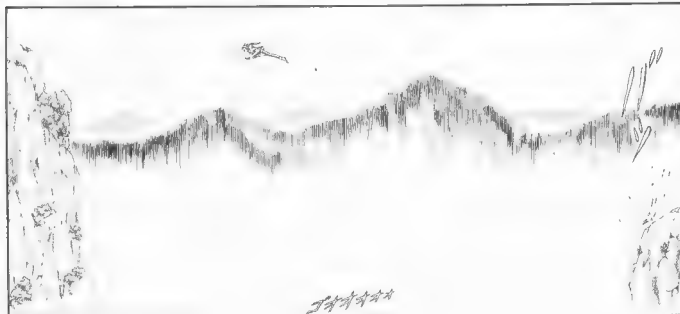
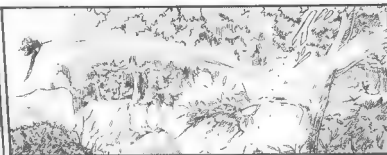
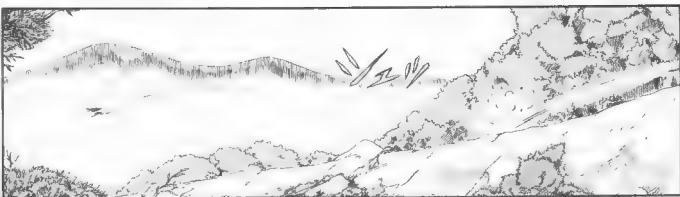


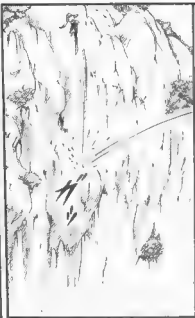
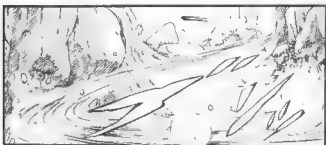
Dogged 'em!



An assassin?  
Or maybe...







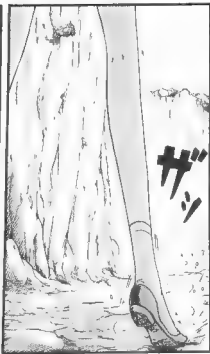
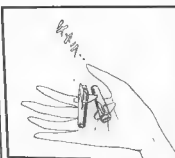
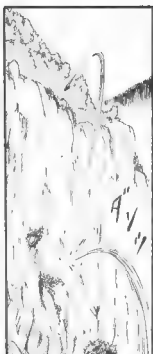
It'll be mid-  
night before I  
get to Dr. Mo-  
rard's place.

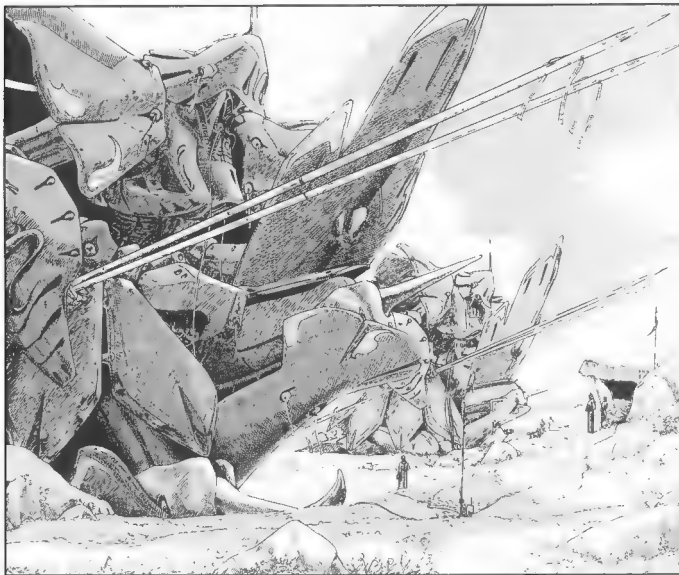
Must have  
lost him.

Nowhere  
in sight.

Oh, oh!  
I crossed the  
border.









Hey!



What's Fillmore doing so far from home?



It's a Siren, one of the Fillmore Empire's flagships.



The Kneue Sylliss, Lader's Temple Knights.



This is off limits  
k d No one's  
allowed n here.



You go to school at  
Avocer right! This is  
Thamantha. You're  
over the border.

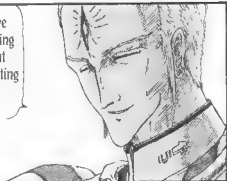


No. I  
wasn't...



Good  
afternoon,  
college boy.

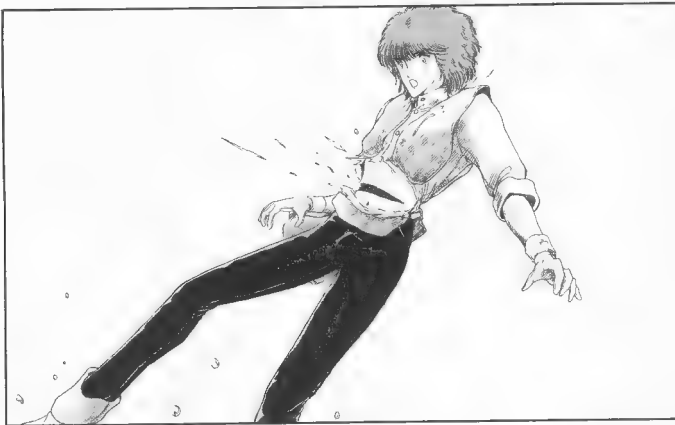
This area does have some very interesting and rare fossils, but you'd better be getting along now.

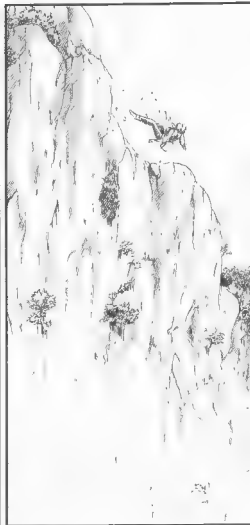


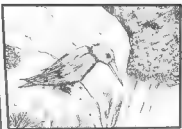
Please forgive me. I was rock hunting, and...



Yes, of course. Thank...



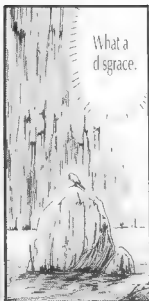




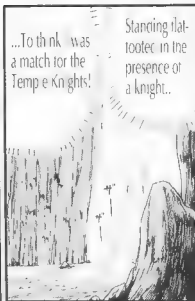


...Have to get  
on my feet...

...Losing a lot  
of blood...



What a  
disgrace.



...To think I was  
a match for the  
Temple Knights!

Standing flat-  
footed in the  
presence of  
a knight...



What am  
going to do?

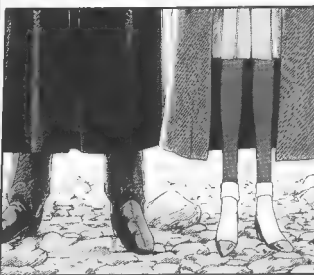
I can't.  
body's numb...  
I can't move.

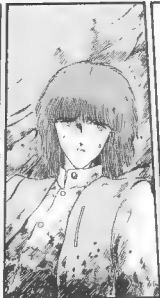
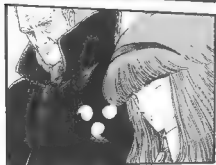


Heir to the throne of  
Colas, on your feet!  
You're not going to let  
everything end here,  
are you!

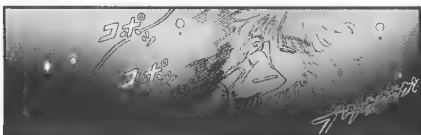
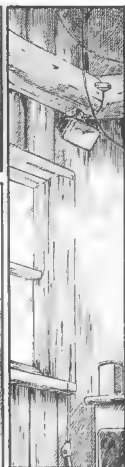
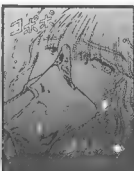
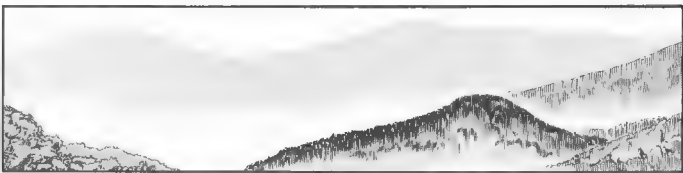


I'm going to die  
that's what. Die.

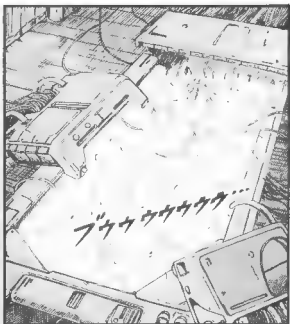
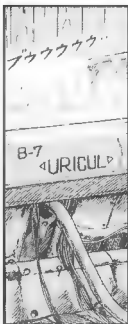








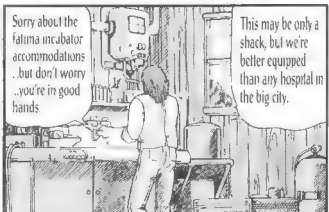
Rest for a little  
while longer..  
another 78 hours  
for the skin to  
reform.



Morard  
Carbye. At  
Your Majesty's  
service.



We fatima  
meights stand  
at the forefront  
of the medical  
profession.



Sorry about the  
fatima incubator  
accommodations  
..but don't worry  
..you're in good  
hands

This may be only a  
shack, but we're  
better equipped  
than any hospital in  
the big city.

How are you feeling? You've been asleep for about a week now.



Colas II's son...chip of the old block. I would have bet anything against you getting up out there.

Redos Dragon the noble Black Knight, Assailin Lord of the warrior world, is seated in the sunlit courtyard. He is the patron saint of swordsmen, the God of the sword. He is a Black Knight and the Vow-creator himself, answering requests from warriors of other countries to train the knights in the art of combat.

What should we do! Lodge a protest to Fillmore!

I'm so ashamed that I forgot to conceal the signs.

You actually saw the Siren!

The heir to Colus II being wounded by a Kneve Syltiss would have caused an international crisis.

You were lucky. If this got out, there would have been hell to pay.

I've heard that slicing people up is one of his favorite pastimes.

From what you've told us, I would say that your attacker was Vralgo Kentauri, a well respected swordsman from I-al.

On top of that, I was wounded because I was careless. I could never face my father again.

No. I broke through their barrier and entered their territory.

And it's not only the more famous war-prides, but a small number has survived since antiquity, and the ever-widening district has now got major mansions, some of which are the finest in the city.

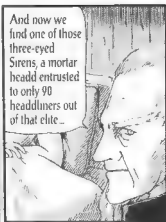
As you know Colus Fillmore, the Galaxy's largest military store, has preserved the Tauer family tradition from time immemorial. That fearsome capriciousness of resorting to the politics of terror at the drop of a hat.





Smells like  
there's a war  
in the making.

...Carrying on  
maneuvers right  
under our noses.



And now we  
find one of those  
three-eyed  
Sirens, a mortal  
head entrusted  
to only 90  
headliners out  
of that elite...



Unless you've  
got something  
better to do...

An excellent  
opportunity to take  
a vacation. What  
do you say doc? We  
can put everything  
on my dorrey at  
Lacco



At the helm of this  
superpower world's  
headquartering, Lader  
VIII has 25 to  
consecutive successful  
the throne of  
the realm has  
been. No war, no  
over 500 warriors  
known as the blood  
emph. Knights



Now wait just a  
minute, Roados.  
When I created  
Est here...



Hah!  
Imitator indeed



Because that's  
where we will  
find Chrome  
Ballanche,  
colleague and...  
hmp, imitator

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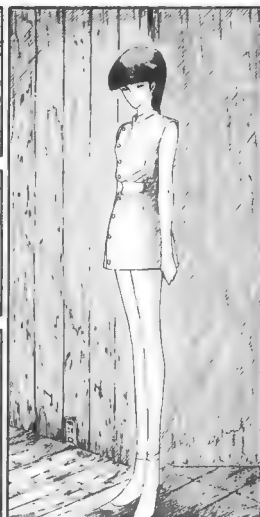
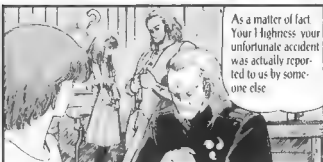
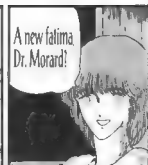
Why Bastogne  
'father'



You're right, Sir  
Roados. Let's  
take a break and  
fly to Bastogne  
on Adler.



..What did he  
do? He tried to  
rival me by  
creating Teala.



I sent her to get you, and I guess she got to playing pranks, and the next thing I know...

And I have an apology to make as well. I was a lousy guardian... letting things get out of hand like they did.

I am so sorry that this all happened. Please forgive me.

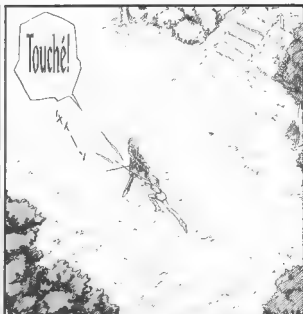
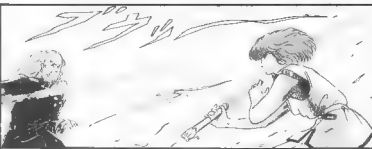


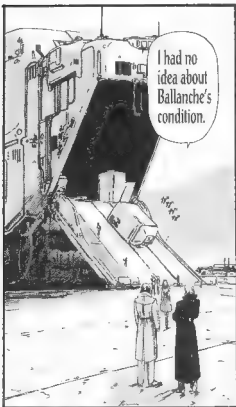
Yeah.  
I threw those.

Here, take these. The accident was all my fault. Don't worry about it.

She sat by you day and night while you were asleep. Please don't bear a grudge.

So that was you!





I had no idea about Ballanche's condition.



Passengers on Micle Float Flight 005 now boarding at East Wing Gate #3



Lacco Spaceport



So that's the Black Knight we keep hearing about.

Wow!



He's very weak. Now only the medicine is keeping his body from falling to pieces.

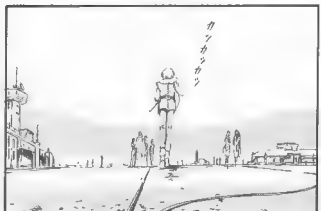
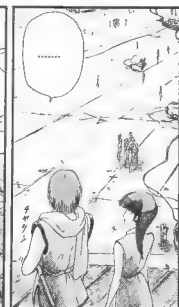


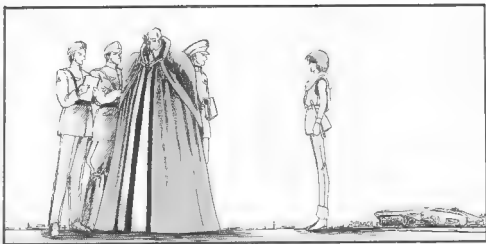
I think he'll appreciate a fellow physician by his side now.

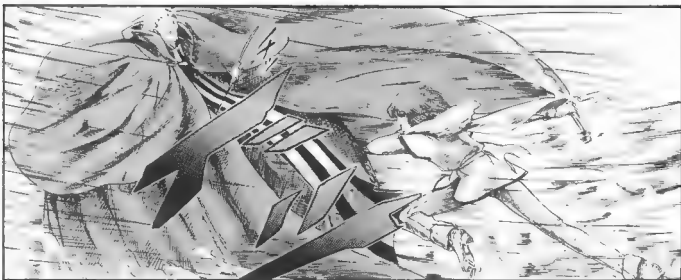
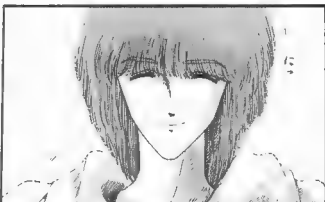
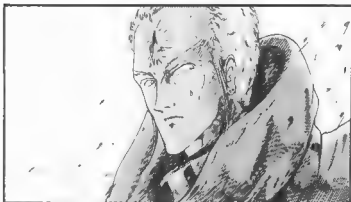


There it is.









Well done, my boy. That's the spirit!



Quite a performance, heh! ...By none other than the heir apparent to the Colus Dynasty.

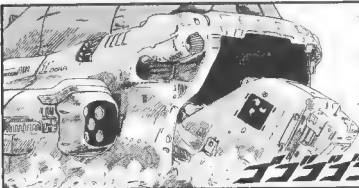
Sir Vralgo!



Now, if you will excuse me.



Passengers boarding Flight 102 bound for Addler and Trün, lift off will start in 20 minutes.



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I would like to accompany you and Dr. Morard.

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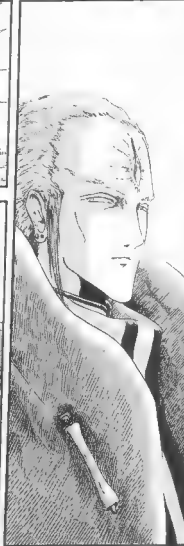


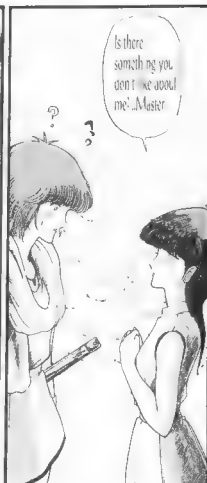
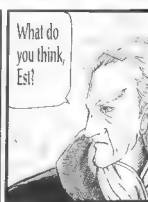
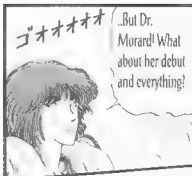
ゴゴゴゴ...

Sir Roados, may I ask a favor!



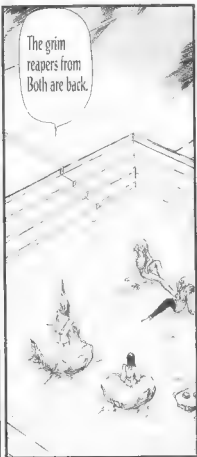
What!!







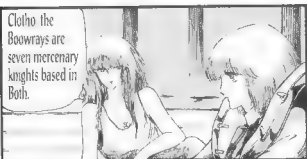
The Boowrays!



The grim reapers from Both are back.



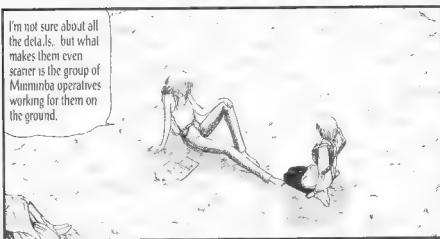
Meanwhile, at the Floating Temple on Delta Belus...



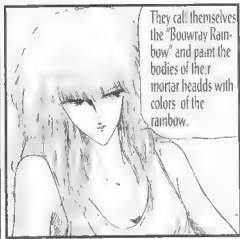
Clotho the Boowrays are seven mercenary knights based in Both.



Yes. After an extended absence...



I'm not sure about all the details, but what makes them even scarier is the group of Minminba operatives working for them on the ground.



They call themselves the "Boowray Rainbow" and paint the bodies of their moriar beards with colors of the rainbow.



I don't think there is any cause for alarm there, but...



If the Colus Dynasty is weakened just about anyone will be able to advance onto Luna.



They are especially dangerous in ground war.



The Minimbis are a small ethnic group from Both with military capabilities rivaling knights.



Activity among the superpowers has picked up considerably during the last 2 or 3 days.



That's not all. The Oloro AP Order of Knights of the United Halthuha Republics are conscripting soldiers right and left.



Maybe not but there's still the matter of the debt we owe Colas from what happened in Bastogne.



Okay!



My sweet, lovable Aisha can stay home.



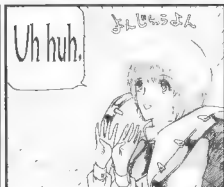
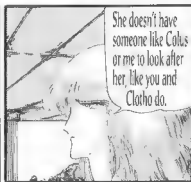
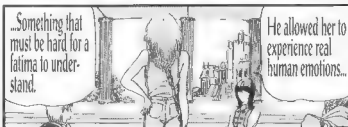
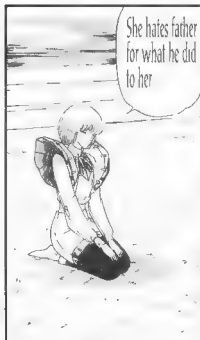
Don't worry. Amaterasu won't have to make an appearance this time.



If you think I'm so lovable, why don't you show it sometime.



Hmph!





42...hmm.

So what happened to No. 42? Did he skip a number?

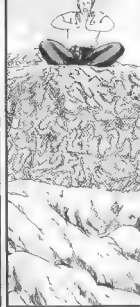
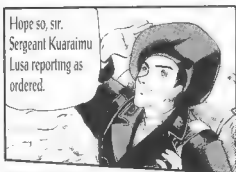
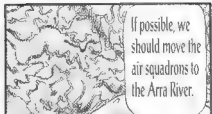
Yeah. That's what I thought.

I'm No. 39.

Viewlard's Magaella is No. 40 and Spacorn's Tis is No. 41.

Who's No. 42?

Atork in the Trio dé Colus principality of Ballanka on Júnó.





I know you just arrived and all, sergeant. But could you start up the craft while I get the troops assembled?

We're lucky to have you.



No matter how undermanned we might be, no Green canon stuffer's gonna make it into the Air Ballele Division!



All we've got around here are raw recruits, and they're all Greens to boot.

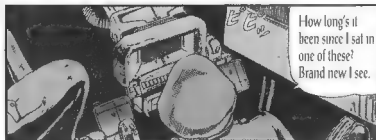
I commanded a tank in the 57th Squadron at Myystelo.



Just out of the hospital, uh? Where were you stationed last?



The smell of a booster elazer blaster. It's been a long time.

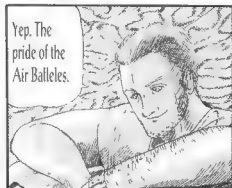


How long's it been since I sat in one of these? Brand new I see.



Things are tough all over, but if this damn war drags on any longer...

They leak oil like a sieve...and the noise!



Yep. The pride of the Air Balleles.



Is that Captain Wlist who downed a Maglow with one of these?



Yeah, but these new ones aren't put together like they used to be.

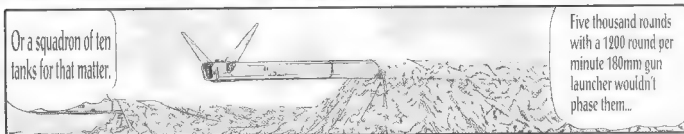


...But you need  
a direct hit.



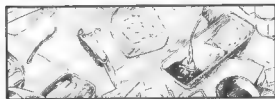
Weaponry's  
the same for  
all of us...

He's the talk of  
the battalion...  
anywhere you go.

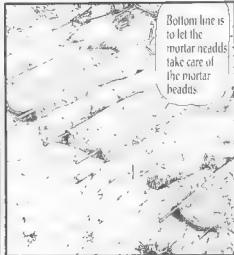


Or a squadron of ten  
tanks for that matter.

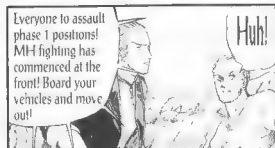
Five thousand rounds  
with a 1200 round per  
minute 180mm gun  
launcher wouldn't  
phase them...



Chow  
time!



Bottom line is  
to let the  
mortar neads  
take care of  
the mortar  
headdis



Everyone to assault  
phase 1 positions!  
MH fighting has  
commenced at the  
front! Board your  
vehicles and move  
out!

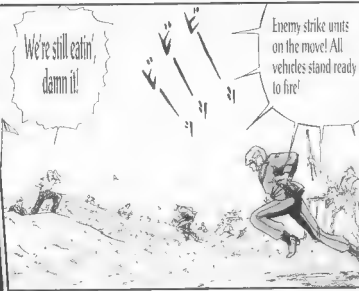
Huh!



Have they lost their  
minds! ...This is  
Ballanka's largest  
installation!

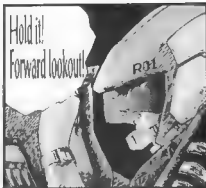


Hurry it up,  
Sergeant.



We're still eatin',  
damn it!

Enemy strike units  
on the move! All  
vehicles stand ready  
to fire!



Hold it!  
Forward lookout!

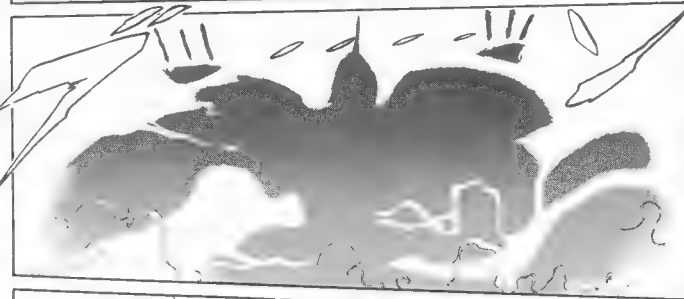
Tell the tanks to retreat.  
We're under attack...



What's that  
sound!



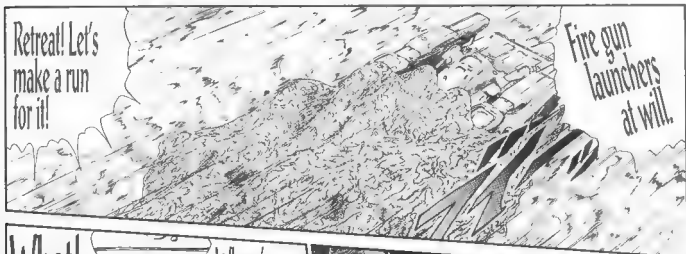
By mortar headds!



Let's get the  
hell outta here!

They've  
infiltrated by  
teleportation!





Retreat! Let's  
make a run  
for it!

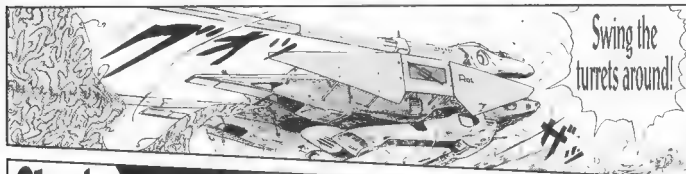
Fire gun  
launchers  
at will.



What!

Where're our  
defense line  
MHs!

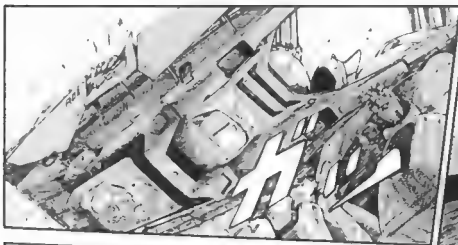
What's goin' on here!



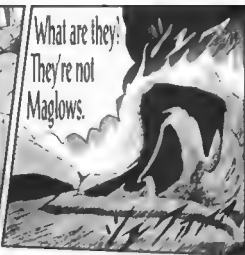
Swing the  
turrets around!



Shit!

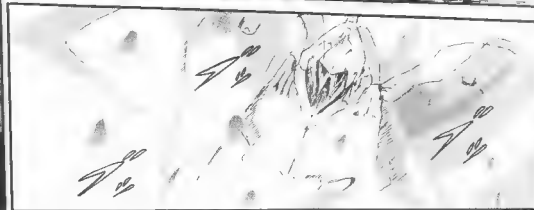


What are they?  
They're not  
Maglows.



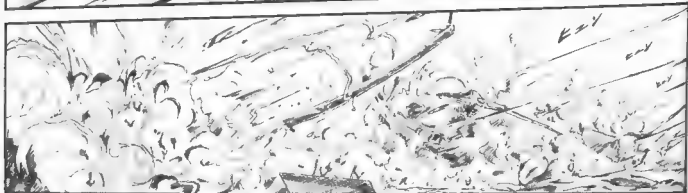
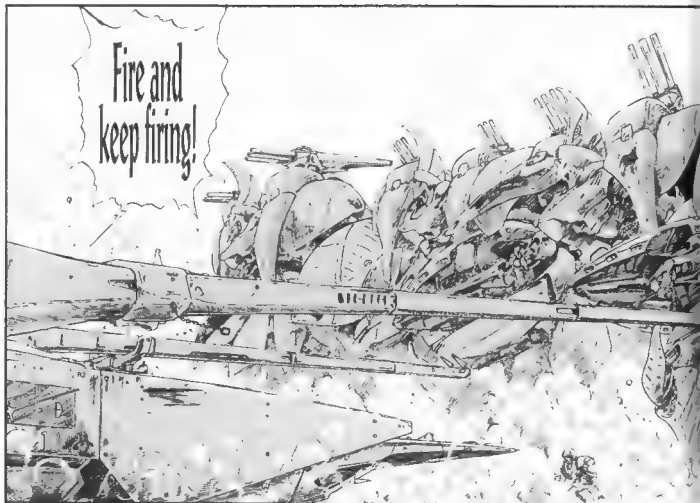


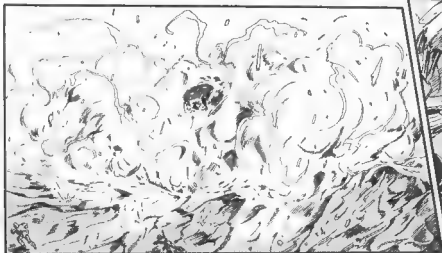
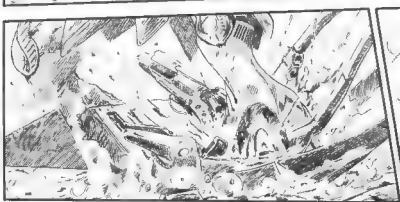
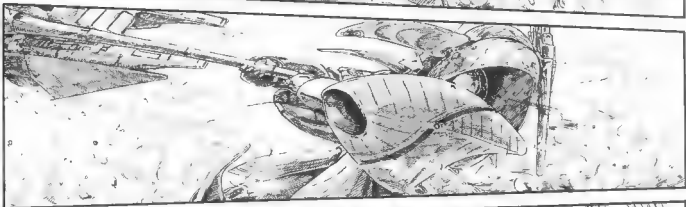
Five MHs forward, two  
aft! Nationality and  
model type unidentified.





Fire and  
keep firing!

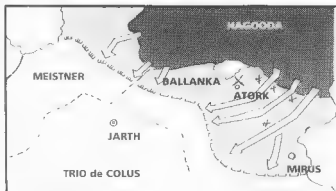
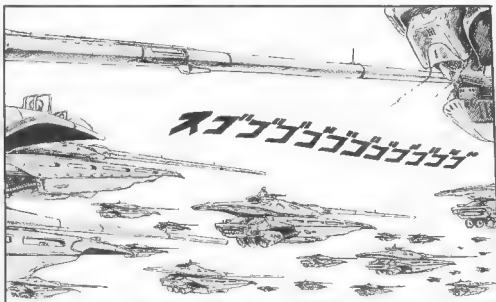






Roger. Thanks  
for your help.  
The Queen will  
be thrilled.

Hagooda, this is  
Boowray Red. Do  
you read me?  
...Maneuver  
completed. Move  
your troops in.



As the result of the offensive,  
Hagooda was able to penetrate  
deeper into Ballanka territory  
than ever before. Over the  
course of the attack, the  
Trojan de Colus forces lost three  
J-10s and four more minor  
ships. In addition to that, it is  
terrible.





## Chronology

## (Last Millennium of the AD Era)

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**Necktie**



**Belt**

Neckties are made of various materials, including silk, cotton, and polyester. They are worn around the neck and tied in a knot. Belts are used to cinch the waist and are made of leather, fabric, or other materials.



**Undergarment**

Undergarments are worn beneath outer clothing to absorb sweat, reduce friction, and provide additional support. They include items like bras, underwear, and corsets.

**Suits**

Suits are formal or semi-formal outfits consisting of a jacket and trousers or a skirt. They are often made of wool or other high-quality fabrics.



**Cuffs**

Cuffs are the finished ends of a sleeve, often featuring buttons or decorative details. They are found on shirts, jackets, and other long-sleeved garments.

**Stockings**

Stockings are worn on the legs to provide warmth, support, and a smooth appearance under shoes. They come in various materials and styles.

**Blouse**

Blouses are women's shirts, often featuring decorative details like ruffles, buttons, or patterns. They are typically worn tucked into a skirt or trousers.

**Padding Stabilizer**

Padding stabilizers are used to provide extra support and structure to garments, particularly in the chest and back areas. They are often found in corsets and structured blouses.

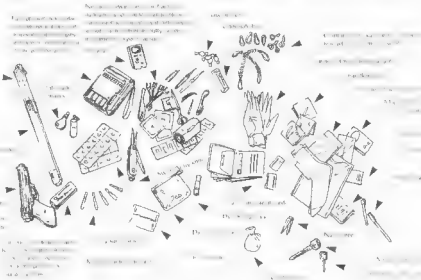


**Special Inside Tattle! The Secret Contents of Lark's Pockets and Handbag Disclosed Here for the First Time**

It's all there in Lark's pockets and handbag, from her favorite pens to her secret stash of snacks.

**Shoes and Boots**

Shoes and boots are worn on the feet to provide protection, support, and style. They come in a wide variety of materials, designs, and functions.



# THE FATIMA FATES: FACTS AND FASHION



## Frontal Lobe Transmitter

A communications device which transmits and receives information by means of a series of radio waves. It is used by Fatimas to communicate with each other and with the Fatima Control Center.

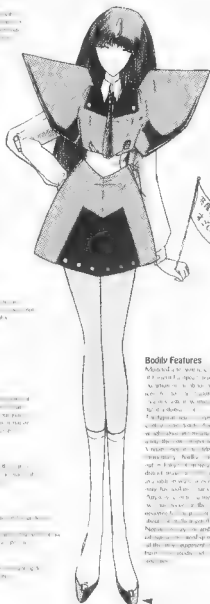
## Snook Style Mini Skirt Uniform

The Snook Style Mini Skirt Uniform is the standard uniform for all Fatimas. It is made of a lightweight, durable material and is designed to be both functional and fashionable. The uniform consists of a long-sleeved top and a mini skirt, both of which are available in a variety of colors and patterns.



## Uniform Materials

The Snook Style Mini Skirt Uniform is made of a lightweight, durable material called "Fatima Fabric". This fabric is made from a combination of synthetic and natural fibers, and is designed to be both functional and fashionable. The uniform is available in a variety of colors and patterns, and is designed to be both functional and fashionable.



## Bodily Features

Most Fatimas have a height of between 1.5 and 1.8 meters, and a weight of between 40 and 60 kilograms. They have a long, slender build, and are known for their grace and agility. Fatimas have a unique ability to communicate with each other and with the Fatima Control Center, and they are also known for their intelligence and resourcefulness.



## FATIMA DATA

**Sub-species**  
Artificial humanoid life form whose behavior patterns are controlled according to Galaxy Law

**Height**  
155-170cm

**Age Determination**  
I-type female child model; M-type adolescent female model; F-type adult female model

**Period of Maturation**  
3-15 years

**Production Cost**  
Listed price in the range of 2 billion yen (US\$ 46 million), but a black market in fatimas also exists, and of course private transactions abound

**Average Life Span**  
300-600 years, depending on quality

**Necessary Caloric Intake**  
Minimum of 200 kcal per day in the field of battle

**MHI Control/Data Processing Capabilities**  
Equivalent to a 128-bit computer; however, the memory function is only half as better than a Homo sapiens, so there are cases of memory loss

**Physical Strength**  
200kg; strong arm clean and jerk

**Intelligence**  
400kg; dead lift

**Intelligence**  
IQ of 200 or more

**Reaction Speed**  
85% of the average headliner's reaction speed

**Blood Type**  
Similar to Homo sapiens (MN, R1, ABO), however, the best matches like Ballanche and Morard pride themselves in developing super or types. The double epsilon model (Laches) blood type is by far the finest to date





# The Five Star Stories

The background of the cover is a detailed illustration. It features a large, pale, stylized face with closed eyes and a serene expression. The face is framed by large, white, wing-like or petal-like structures that radiate outwards. In the foreground, a small figure of a girl with dark hair, wearing a bright red dress, is shown in a dynamic, dancing pose. The overall color palette is dominated by purples, greys, and whites, with the red dress providing a strong contrast.

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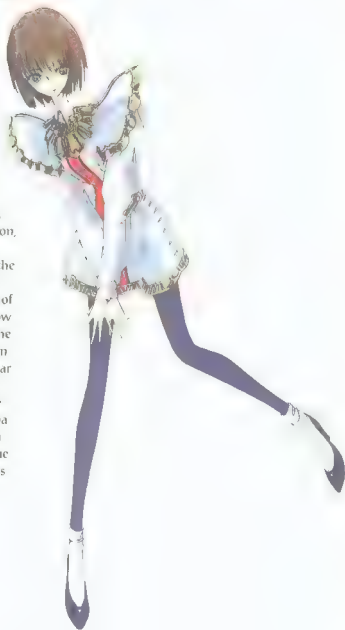
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he war with its undoubtedly weaker neighbor to the north, Hagooda, is not going as planned for the Colus Dynasty.

Angered and frustrated by this perplexing invasion, King Colus III has retired to his study and let cooler heads prevail in conducting this phase of the war, which will cost the Dynasty numerous land divisions, tens of mortar headds, and one fourth of its territory, not to mentioned a demoralizing blow to its international integrity. While in seclusion the King tells Clotho how he happened to come upon her and her captors in the town of Beltoca the year before. Actually, he was looking for the same person as she, Morard Carbyte. Then follows the adventure story of how he and the renown fatima meight became friends while the King was still a college student. Now back to the war and the true reasons for Hagooda's surprising military success in the campaign so far...



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## Fat ma Fates

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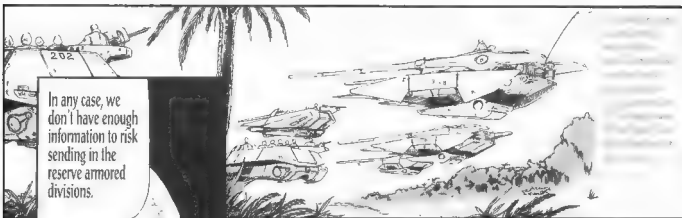
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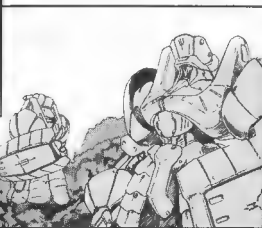
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In any case, we don't have enough information to risk sending in the reserve armored divisions.



It's unlikely that Hagooda will make any more attempts to move forward... at least for the time being. They've put themselves in too precarious a position, already with the present offensive.



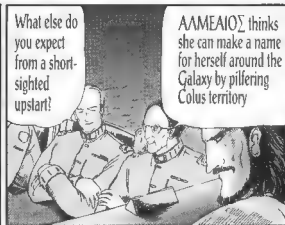
According to my information, Hagooda has almost no mortar headbuds of their own. It's time we combine the forces of the Trio for an all out counter offensive.



Hagooda's supply lines are definitely in trouble.



Excuse me, I'm going out on the balcony for some fresh air.



What else do you expect from a short-sighted upstart!

AAMEAIOΣ thinks she can make a name for herself around the Galaxy by pillaging Colus territory

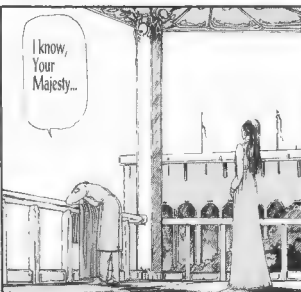
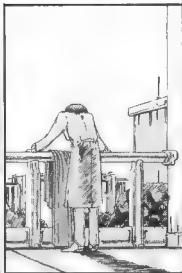


I'll wager that bitch has already concocted a trade offer promising to pull back into Mistner in exchange for the factories in Alorh.

If so...



Trao....



I know,  
Your Majesty...

This isn't the first time  
this dynasty of 23  
consecutive reigns has  
been faced with such a  
dilemma.

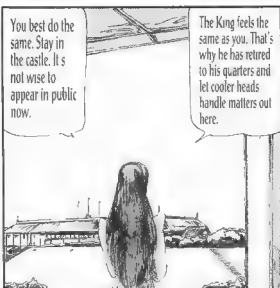


I can understand you  
wanting to strike back  
quickly; but the chiefs of  
staff are being realistic.

However, it won't  
be long before the  
wind changes.  
Until then we are  
strong enough to  
dig in and wait for  
our chance.



Everything has its  
course; and  
unfortunately  
Hagooda is  
running with the  
wind at its back.



You best do the  
same. Stay in  
the castle. It's  
not wise to  
appear in public  
now.

The King feels the  
same as you. That's  
why he has retired  
to his quarters and  
let cooler heads  
handle matters out  
here.



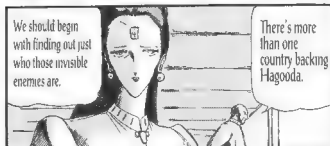
The death of those  
eight thousand men  
is a humiliating  
loss, but it's best to  
keep your anger at  
bay until the  
counter offensive.



but...  
but...



...Waiting for  
any chance to  
take Rondo.

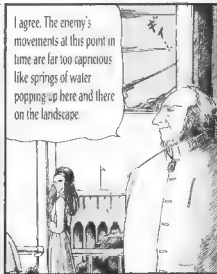


We should begin  
with finding out just  
who those invisible  
enemies are.

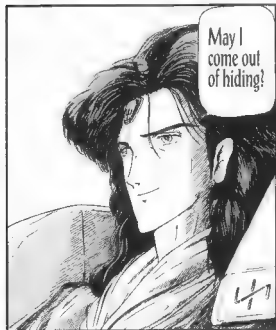
There's more  
than one  
country backing  
Hagooda.



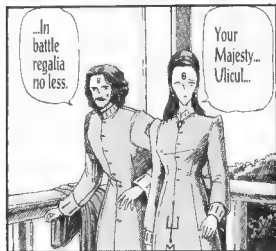
Ships from all  
over the Galaxy  
are standing by  
in the southern  
skies...



I agree. The enemy's  
movements at this point in  
time are far too capricious  
like springs of water  
popping up here and there  
on the landscape



May I  
come out  
of hiding?



...In  
battle  
regalia  
no less.

Your  
Majesty...  
Ulicul...



I agree.

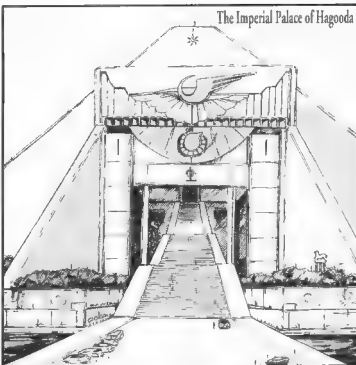


Oh what a wonderful feeling! I'm exhilarated!

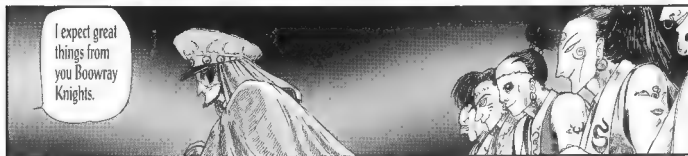


You stand at the top of all the orders of knights who have come to our aid.

What reward could I offer for such an impressive victory? I'm at a loss.



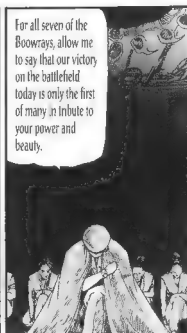
The Imperial Palace of Hagooda



I expect great things from you Boowray Knights.



You speak well. The palace is yours. Enjoy its pleasures as you will.



For all seven of the Boowrays, allow me to say that our victory on the battlefield today is only the first of many in tribute to your power and beauty.



As you wish, Your Radiance.

...But probably no better than their own... Hmm! What is it!



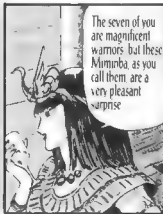
Heh, heh. They certainly did send me some talented knights...



They blocked the retreat of the Colus forces, enabling the crushing defeat we inflicted today.



The seven of you are magnificent warriors, but these Muminba, as you call them, are a very pleasant surprise.



If it be to your liking, we will put our scouts at Your Majesty's disposal.



"Animals," you say. I never thought I'd ever hear such a description from the lips of a headliner.



Fatimas are puppets, not real women.

Anyone with an ounce of sense would treat them as domestic animals, inferior to dogs.



Hah! How would I stand up to a fatima?



...The kings of ten countries supplying me with soldiers and weapons of such excellence!



I'm so fortunate...

The Maglows, T-64 Air Balleles, seven groups of mercenaries, and the Boowrays...



All tribute to your magnificent charm and beauty.



Appearing as an unidentified order of knights will confuse and worry the enemy.



Don't be bashful, now. I'm in a very generous mood.



All right, already. I won't ask again. But what is it you really want?

We are mercenaries in disguise, determined not to show our true identity in battle.



You've got class. Why the mask?



Your Majesty's charm and beauty is accompanied by an intriguing sense of humor.

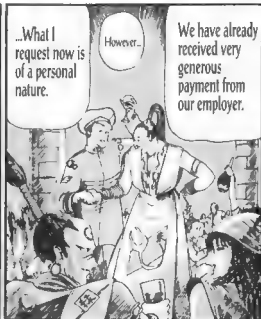
Oh! You want me!?

...What I request now is of a personal nature.

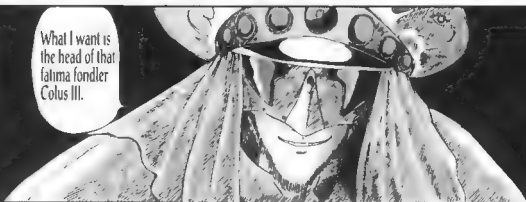
However...

We have already received very generous payment from our employer.

All joking aside...



What I want is the head of that fatima fondler Colus III.







All we've seen so far  
are Maglows...Let's  
stay out one more day,  
then head back.



...but we got the  
chance to give  
Jünchoon some  
exercise.



We seem to  
have wasted our  
time with these  
regular troops...



The handling  
was much  
smoother than I  
expected. Not  
bad for the first  
outing.



Clotho  
should  
be here,  
not me.



What  
do you  
mean?



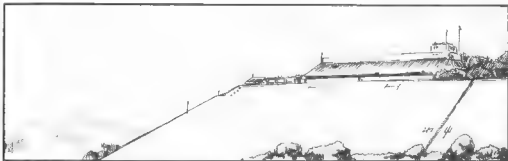
I don't know.  
There's still  
something  
unstable  
about him.



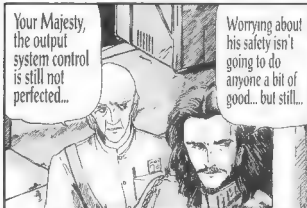
Maybe so, but for the time being putting him in action will free my Beran for service in the Trio's forces.

The land booster and main engine still aren't in sync...





I spent 30 years putting you together. You can't be that bad, Jünchoon.



Your Majesty, the output system control is still not perfected...

Worrying about his safety isn't going to do anyone a bit of good... but still...



It's been three days now. I'm getting jumpy.



Mortar head in their initial outings are like babies taking their first steps. They're so unpredictable.



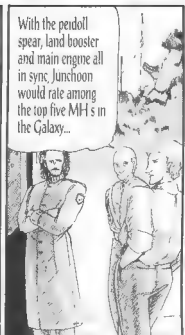
...And the engine isn't powerful enough for such a remarkable body design.



It was his decision. All we can do is pray that he returns safely after bringing two or three enemy MH's to their knees.



In any case, until we make contact with him, the enemy mustn't find out that the King has left for the front.



With the pendoll spear, land booster and main engine all in sync, Jünchoon would rate among the top five MH's in the Galaxy...



We'll take them out one at a time.



From the grenade pattern there seems to be two.

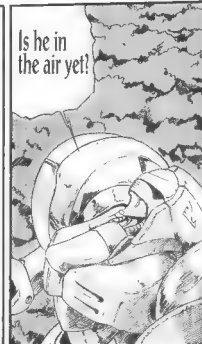
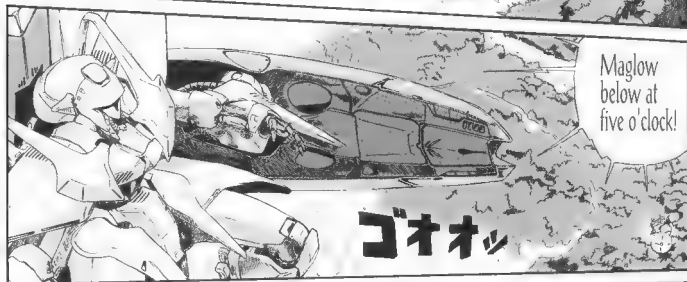
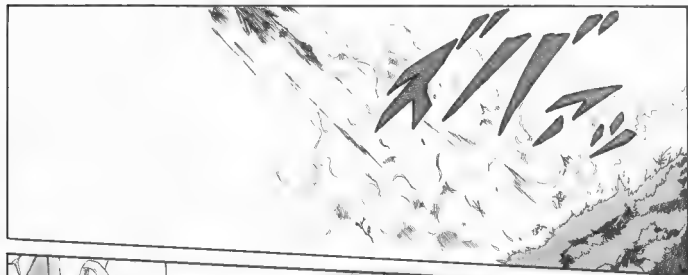


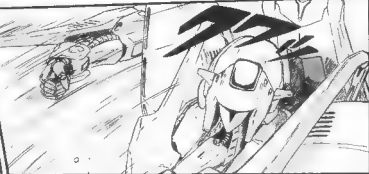
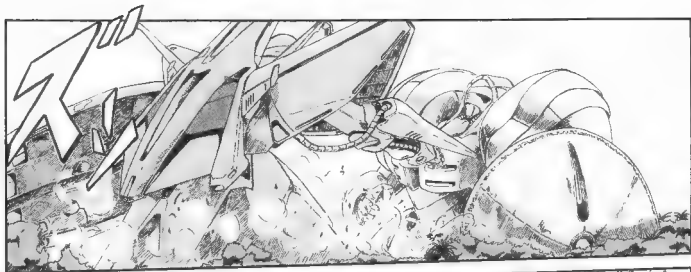
They've come looking for the Maglows we shot down yesterday... and there's more than one.

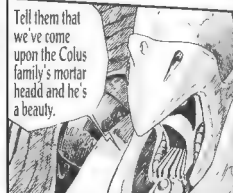


If we miss, we'll get out.

It's getting dangerous here... Fire the next round.







Tell them that we've come upon the Colus family's mortar headd and he's a beauty.



Syucha! Lower the barrier and contact Hagooda.

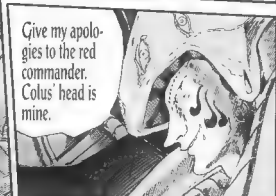
Look what I found. It was worth staying behind.



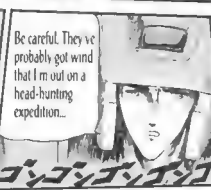
Vlicu! There's the bogey who hit us. Over there.



Aye aye, sire.



Give my apologies to the red commander. Colus' head is mine.





The battle mode won't function in this squall.

Where is he? I can't see a damn thing!

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Syucha!

Switch modes...  
Damn it!  
Now!

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Just a few seconds more....

The joints are getting heavy. We're slowing down. Get the lead out, you laggard!

What the...!

Damn this weather. I'd give anything for the colder of mate of home.

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Damn, good for nothin' android dummies!

Whoaa! Stabilize this thing!

A-aye aye, sire.

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I can't believe it! He's got no teeth in that fearsome bite.

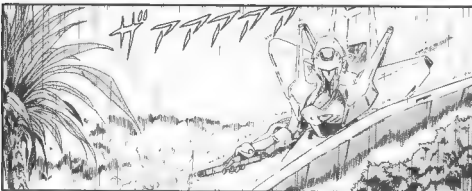
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All show not go, huh? Well, it's time for an object lesson in what a Boowray's capable of.

He, he, he...

Hmm. So that's it...



King Colus is about to be given hands-on-instruction in Boowray military capability.

What are we going to do, sire!



Let's pull back.  
We seem to  
have reached  
too low an  
ebb

I should have  
known...we've  
overdone it

The land  
booster has  
reduced total  
power to less  
than one-third

Junchoon's  
no match  
for him, yet.

He should  
have figured  
us out by now

We're  
trapped!







Assuming  
full control  
of the ship.



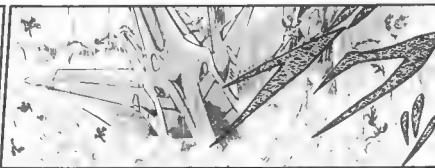
Ulicul...  
It's up to  
you now...

Master!

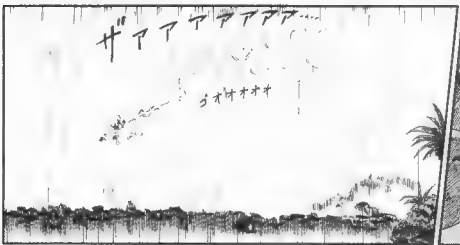


Down for the  
count, huh!  
Now to grind  
you into scrap.

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Up!!



Melting body limiter and compression sustain...

Reversing from the booster.

Do we have enough power to reach safe territory?

The energy level...

We can't make it, sire.

We're out of control. Losing altitude...







This one took less than a year to cross me.



Hmph!



I'm going to remove Colus's head from his seriously injured body. The Boowray did the body part, now for the...

Finder's keepers...

Call Hagooda to come and get "Whitey" and my Boowray.

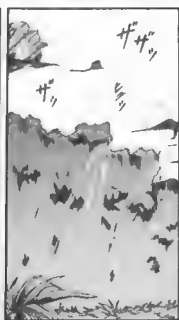


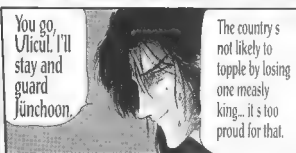
You're late! Where in the hell have you been!



What! "Whitey" crashed! Where?









I know  
you're  
scared...

If I let him  
stay here, he  
would die  
defending you.

We'll be  
back for  
you, I  
promise.



I'm sorry  
luncheon...



You be good,  
now. I'll see  
you later,  
okay!



Please promise  
me that you will  
always defend  
the Celuses as  
long as you live



...but I have to leave  
for a little while. I'll  
be back to defend  
you, with my life if  
need be. Be patient.



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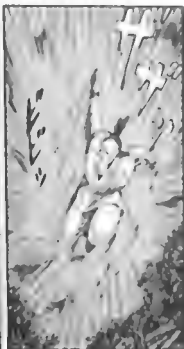
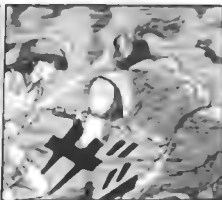
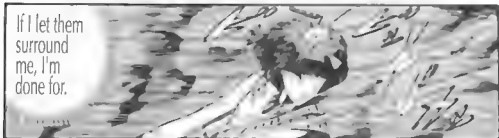


A fatima!

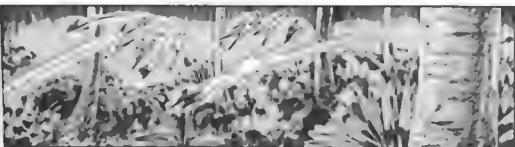
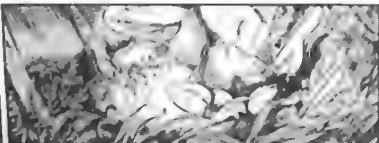
I've got to  
draw their  
attention.

Oh no!  
Are they  
headliners?

If I let them  
surround  
me, I'm  
done for.




Not bad at  
all! So that's  
Morard's  
Ulicul' heh!



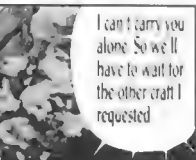
Uhhnn







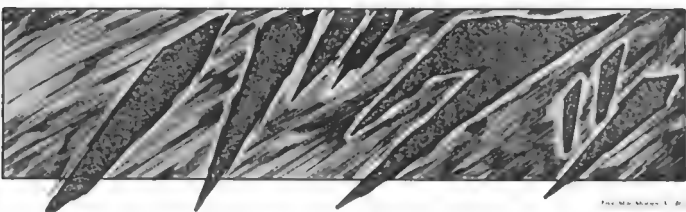
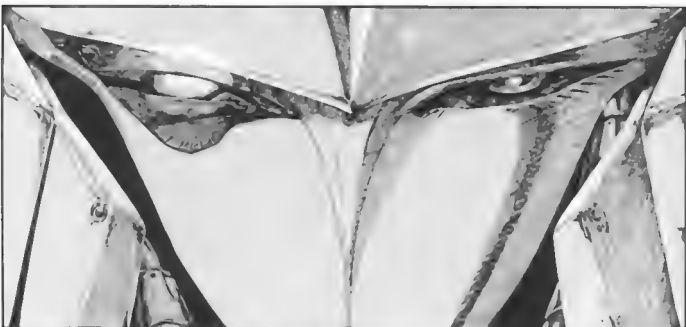
And Sir Gallow  
thought that you  
would be the prize for  
his Bow King's  
collection. I hope he  
will like me  
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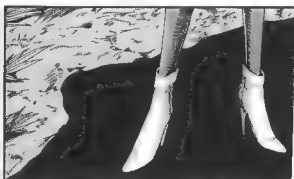
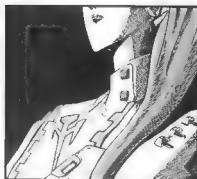


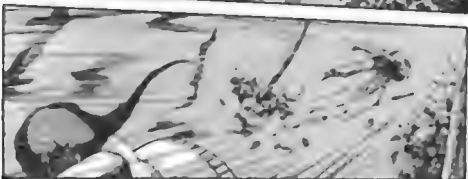
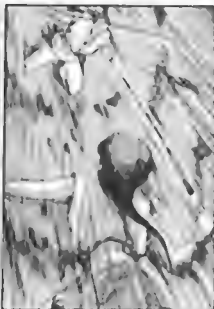
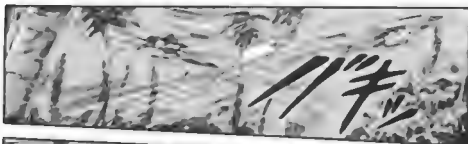
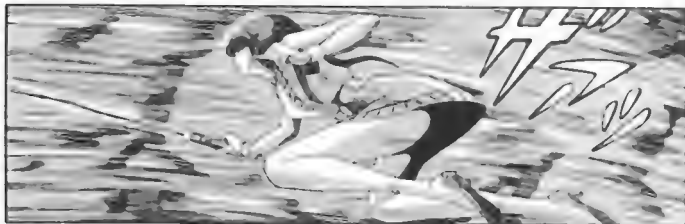
I can't carry you  
alone. So we'll  
have to wait for  
the other craft I  
requested

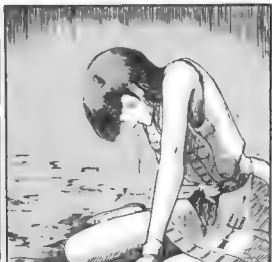
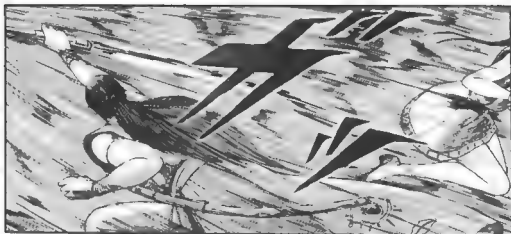


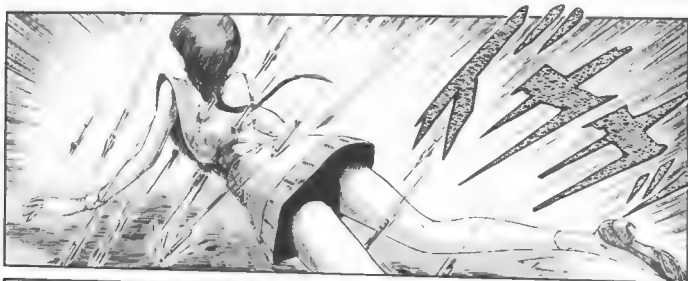
They're here!  
Let's get it  
loaded up.











Not this time.  
We'll just  
follow the scent  
of blood to  
where you hid  
him.



Trying to  
draw our  
attention  
away from  
the real prey,  
heh!



Huh...



Strip off her  
clothes and gut  
her to show  
Colus how we  
deal with  
uppity fatimas





Remember  
me...always.



Ulicul...



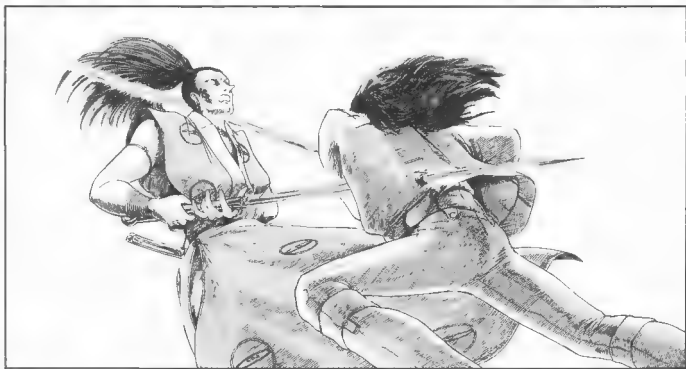
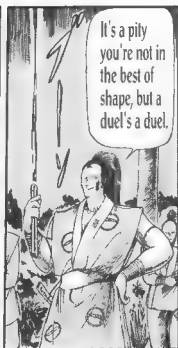
Shall we?

How rude of me! I  
forgot to introduce  
myself. I'm Boowray  
commander Gellow.



Doesn't the wife  
get jealous over  
all that affection?  
Mine certainly  
would.

What a heart-  
rendering scene.  
And all over a  
paltry fatima.







The misery of  
wanting to have  
been born human  
doesn't register in  
your boonsh excuse  
for a brain



Savage- like you  
couldn't begin to  
understand what  
kind of suffering  
that may have to  
bear from your  
abuse



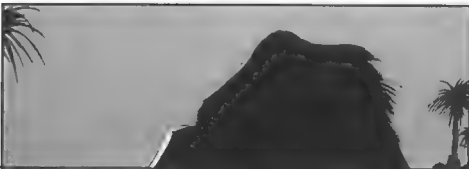
Ulicul...



Look s  
like this  
is it...







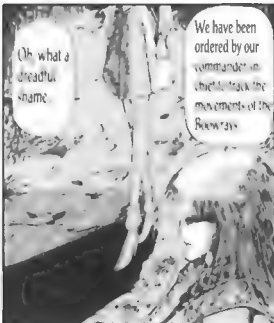
Far Eastern Mirage  
Corps commanding  
general and  
president of the  
Amaterasu  
Kingdom  
Demesnes...

I'm sorry... I  
can't get up to  
thank you  
properly. Please  
tell me your  
name.

My Mirages  
have recovered  
Your Majesty's  
mortar headd.



Oh what a  
dreadful  
name.

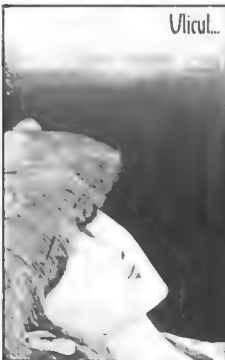


We have been  
ordered by our  
commander in  
chief to track the  
movements of the  
Booways.

F U Rogner  
prince of Robison  
at Your Majesty's  
service



Ulicul...



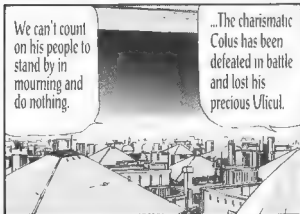


I don't know! They'll probably wait a while longer. Colus is seriously injured, but not dead by any means.

Troop morale will be at its peak. The moment the whole Galaxy has been anxiously awaiting has finally arrived. Will they respond by sending in their knights!



This recent incident has inspired all out efforts on the part of even Hagooda to crush the Colus Dynasty.



We can't count on his people to stand by in mourning and do nothing.

...The charismatic Colus has been defeated in battle and lost his precious Ulicul.



Those waiting up in the sky have their own priorities. But here...



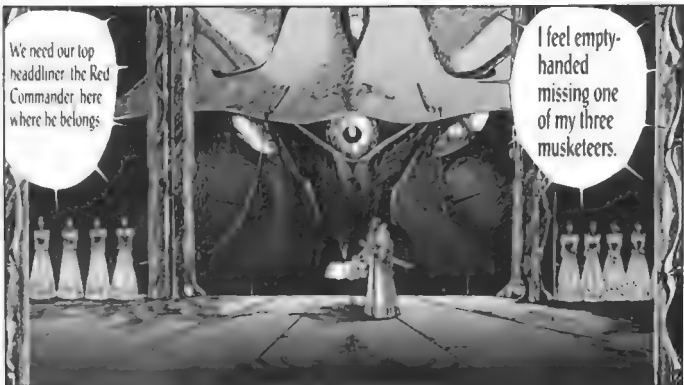
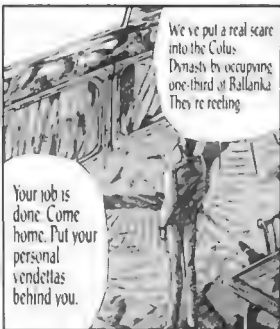
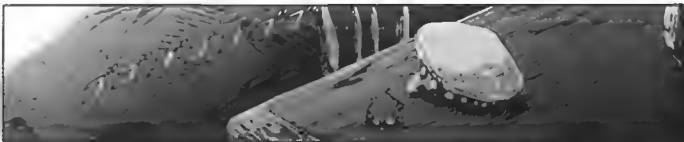
Aye, aye, sir.


Ship Gellow's Boowray and his body back home.



...He was still Colus III. Don't ever forget that.

Gellow was too hasty. No matter how badly his opponent happened to be hurt...





The other five and their unrivaled Sirens we disguised as Boowerays are no doubt homesick for Fillmore, don't you think?

It's time for Collet to step in from Both. His forces are capable of taking up the mission from here.

Rather Collet than someone like that idiot Juba Bardaim who made a mess of things last year on Addier. Ha ha ha!

What do you say, Vralgo?

The Right Detached  
Palace of the Colus Dynasty

However, his condition remains unstable. I will wait to escort Your Highness back to Jarth.

That ends my report on the condition of His Majesty. In sum, he has passed the critical stages and is on the road to recovery.

Please tell The King that I have decided not to return.

A little... but he's okay now. It's nothing to worry about.

Did papa hurt himself?

Creating more worry for the people would not be right.

I'm not sure... what would be the reaction to me scurrying back to the capital?





I would like  
to tell you  
something,  
Clotho.



I hold  
nothing but  
contempt  
for you  
fatimas...



...that  
Ulicul is  
dead.



Frankly,  
I am  
greatly  
relieved...





...and the  
headliners  
you accompany.



...But from the  
standpoint of  
we women, you  
cause nothing  
but jealousy and  
envy.

You fatimas are a  
man's ideal. You  
retain your beauty,  
never aging,  
standing diligently  
by their sides in  
complete obeisance...

I have loved  
him for that  
long.

We grow old little by  
little, growing more  
and more impatient,  
but you stay exactly  
the same as when  
you first met your  
headliners.

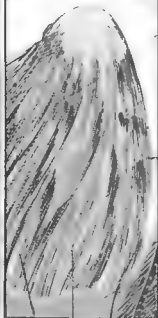


I have loved  
Colus dearly...

... since way  
before his coro-  
nation, from the  
time when we  
were students  
together in  
college.



Such is the reality that the majority of men desire most, isn't it?



You remain an everlasting incarnation of the fondest memories of first falling in love both your characters and mannerisms carrying that image forever.

Those you call "masters" aren't people that anyone can love... And those of us who have taken headliners to be our husbands are miserable as a result.



Do fatimas know what love means? Have they ever experienced wanting to die for the person they love if that is what were necessary?

... "How dare you take Colus away from me!"



I thought many times of turning to Ulic and crying...

That is why  
I will not go  
to Jarh.

I don't want to  
see Colus while  
he mourns the  
death of his  
beloved Ulicul.

And I will not  
consent to Saylai  
marrying one.

I will not allow  
my children to  
follow in their  
father's footsteps  
as headliners.

I am his wife...  
I am a woman...  
not some  
machine to bear  
his children!

However...

It is true of course  
that he is a knight  
renowned  
throughout the  
Galaxy and an  
exalted king.

That may seem  
cruel or cold  
blooded behavior  
at first glance, but  
deep down...

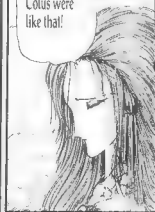
Take the Kneue  
Sylliss knights of  
Kallamity, who are  
said to use and  
dispose of fatimas  
without the  
slightest qualm.

...they are  
devoted to the  
women who are  
their wives and  
lovers. They  
don't waste that  
love on fatimas.

That is why  
I rejoice at  
Ulicul's  
death.



Oh how happy  
I would be if  
Colus were  
like that!



You can't  
understand the  
way I feel, can  
you Clotho!



I would like  
to go to Iarh.



...I too would  
probably have  
called someone  
like Amaterasu  
or King Colus  
master

If I had been  
subjected to  
mind control  
by my father...



I hope you  
will have the  
opportunity to  
talk to her.



I don't think my  
friend gets Luffy's  
sense of humor and  
our feelings for  
him are the same.

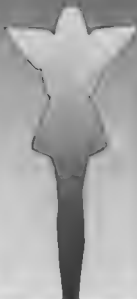
So I had no  
choice but to  
be King  
maker.

Clotho...  
you...



At all times he  
will do things  
because a part  
of him is fighting  
that way inside.

My wife doesn't  
really love  
me and she  
thinks of me as  
a enemy.



He and all  
the others in  
the world  
will be...



Soon...

The wind will  
blow from all  
directions...north,  
south, east,  
west...and from  
Fortune.

But I and one of my  
sisters will watch over  
this country, this planet,  
and over Your  
Highness children and  
their children for many  
generations to come.



While you  
are choosing  
the final  
opportunities  
open to you...

I will in the  
end bid the  
last greeting  
to that Wind  
in your place.

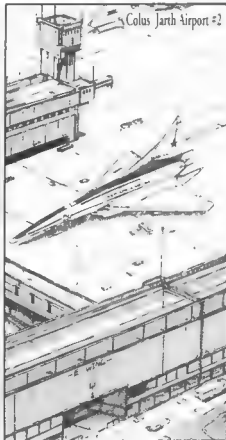
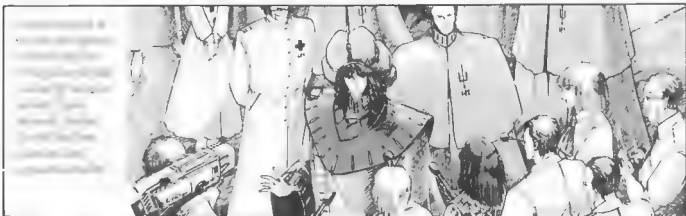
All you  
humans, gentle  
powerful,  
miserable and  
stupid alike....



..Until Fortune is born, I  
will keep my eyes open  
for this very short time.. I  
will embrace all of the  
hopes and dreams held by  
fathoms everywhere and  
entrust them to Kallen.







There may be some delay, but I think the airbus is your best bet for leaving the airport.

I apologize for any inconvenience. Jarth Airport has been opened to military use.

No, I will be visiting friends. It certainly is crowded today.

Welcome to Colus. Will you be travelling alone?

Thank you.

It leaves from the East Gate. Let me remind you that the country is at war. Please follow all necessary precautions for your safety.

So this is Jūno, huh?

It's hot, as I expected.

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To be continued....

**JC 3230** Amaterasu requests the courtesy of Kalamity Gooders to join the AKD, but following the lead of the Falmer Empire, which boasts the planet's largest and most illustrious history, they ignore the request.

**JC 3234** Amaterasu launches a military invasion of Kalamity Gooders, but is met with strong resistance by a united defense force that has thoroughly studied his military strategy and tactical procedures.

**JC 3238** The Mirage Knights join the invasion of Kalamity Gooders as the war begins down

**JC 3239** Sunt approaches Kalamity, which experiences violent upheavals in the planet's crust and chaotic magnetic fluctuations. Rescue and emigration from Kalamity is stepped up. Amaterasu boards the Knight of Good and leads the entire Mirage Knight corps in an attack on the Falmer Empire. It's time to act or anyone will take on the planet doomed to destruction by the approach of Sunt. During the attack KOCs stalk on a ship while crossing Lake Nimbou, and will bring Kalamity to explosion. Amaterasu is forced to safely leaving the Mh's and Lachess is stranded on the Lost Lake. In order to ease the shock from the impending volcanic explosion, KOCs lock the tower chamber to a 5,000 second order in the planet's crust and drops a shock rock with great bomb into the Lake. However, nothing can save Lachess from the explosion as she and KOCs are blown somewhere out on the dimensional edge.

**JC 3330** The Battle of Kalamity is spectacularly concluded, and survivors from the defeated Kalamity forces move to the Planet of Graves where they commence anti-Amaterasu resistance activities.

**JC 3333** Amaterasu, upon consent from the onyx non-AKD planet Luna, is enthroned as emperor of the outer galaxy.

**JC 3345** The AED Dragon awakens.

**JC 3400-3900** Mortar head manufacture is slowed by natural resource scarcity. The leader of the King Colus V begins a large scale program to improve his country's military force led by the Berens. He uses the outcome of any battle as a reward given by a cash of Mh's to the anti-Amaterasu resistance forces scattered throughout the Galaxy assist in his efforts.

**JC 3910** The knights of the anti-Amaterasu resistance gather on Luna. Amaterasu reveals plans to conquer Luna.

**JC 3952** Amaterasu launches his vast expeditionary invasion and heads for Utopia. A messenger is dispatched from Roth to Amaterasu. It is Atropos.

**JC 3960** The heir apparent to the Colus Dynasty, Colus VI, escapes to Roth with the help of Atropos, princess of Ravanka. The three royal families of the Colus Dynasty, Jashu and suffer to the four corners of the Galaxy. The Black Knight Grand Symptom in the employ of the Colus Dynasty confronts Junchoon and Colus deep in the Black Forests of the continent of Borsho.

Cybernation is led by a Mirage Knight while trying to escape. Amaterasu orders to the creation of cybernetic knights. Air ops team up with Mirage Knight. Includer Upandla Raymu.

**JC 3967** Amaterasu renounces all of his authority to his only son, Upandla Raymu, a former creation by Dr. Balanice, and renounces succession. At the same time, Colus Raider and the entire Mirage Knights are ordered and sealed.

**JC 3968** Emperor Runka, a remnant of the Colus Dynasty's Master army gives birth to Bannu, a creature of the hand of Amaterasu. Bannu disappears.

**JC 3998** Amaterasu becomes deeply concerned over his aging father and puts them to sleep. Colus Mh's continue to switch over to the non-humanoid, robotic, atomic and human and ultimately appear in public. The global population is also decreasing. In a half century, the world is a nightmarish ruler of chaos, the number of mortal heads increase on the planet, becoming unmanageable and scarce. This year marks the beginning of Upandla's reign of terror.

**JC 4004** Dia yna Meslinier finds her way to Kadampos in Roth.

**JC 4050** Dia yna Meslinier meets Colus VI, who is working for the anti-Amaterasu resistance in Kadampos.

**JC 4061** After witnessing aimlessly throughout the Galaxy, Colus VI is awakened to his obligation because of being shown the mortal heads that have been mass created for the resistance.

**JC 4062** Colus begins training for combat, and the many knights he meets seem also to be descendants of his ancestors' generations of headless men.

**JC 4075** Junchoon and Colus are discovered, but Colus remains sealed and will not awaken.

**JC 4076** Colus V meets Wey, a youth possessed by another headless man descendant.

**JC 4080** Colus VI breaks out of Luna, and Colus VI takes command of the anti-Amaterasu resistance forces in the conflict.

**JC 4082** An Amaterasu mortar head, Wunderclade, defects to Colus' side.

**JC 4088** Headliners and Jashu who have been hiding throughout the Galaxy flock to Colus' side.

**JC 4090** Colus liberates Roth. After the devastation of AKD forces invading Kadampos, an LLD Dragon enters the Utopia and eventually loses control of the situation, imitating the dead and the AKD, but Amaterasu refuses to step in.

**JC 4093** Civil war breaks out in Delta Botan.

**JC 4100** The floating Tengu, the symbol of the AKD, is destroyed. Colus Jashoon and Upandla's Knight of Gowneage go on the battlefield. Two tales hurry toward their. Delta Botan is consumed in the quasar in ruins of the LLD Dragon.

Amaterasu returns to Colus, who was wounded, recovered from Colus VI's wounds. Colus VI is the last of the Colus family, a remnant of Delta Botan, who has been the last of the Mirage Knights in the Vortex of the Galaxy. The Vortex is the last of the Colus.

**JC 4101** Colus VI borders the Galaxy.

**JC 4103** Colus VI marries Dia yna.

**JC 4155** Colus VI passes away, leaving the Galaxy.

**JC 4300** The mortal heads of the anti-Amaterasu resistance. The mortal heads of the anti-Amaterasu resistance, some of them, are the same as the mortal heads of the anti-Amaterasu resistance.

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## ['The Era of The Will Galaxy']

**JC 5099** On an unknown planet, the Knight of the Will, a mortal head, is created.

**JC 6599** Lachess awakens and, with the help of the anti-Amaterasu resistance, begins a war with Amaterasu. The war is the first of the Will Galaxy, a war that will be the first of the Will Galaxy.

**JC 6787** The mortal head of the anti-Amaterasu resistance, the Knight of the Will, is created. The mortal head of the anti-Amaterasu resistance, the Knight of the Will, is created.

**JC 6800** Amaterasu sends the Mh's to the anti-Amaterasu resistance in the Will Galaxy.

**JC 6850** Amaterasu and Lachess, who are the first of the Will Galaxy, are the first of the Will Galaxy.

**JC 7199** Lachess, and the anti-Amaterasu resistance, reports the Knight of the Will.

**JC 7281** Amaterasu converses with the Knight of the Will, which seems to contain a memory of people from the Will Galaxy.

**JC 7343** Lachess suddenly finds herself in the Will Galaxy, a planet that is the first of the Will Galaxy. The Knight of the Will, the first of the Will Galaxy, is the first of the Will Galaxy.

**JC 7451** Lachess, who is the first of the Will Galaxy, reports to the Knight of the Will.

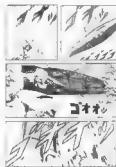
**JC 7563** Lachess, who is the first of the Will Galaxy, reports to the Knight of the Will.

**JC 7777** Lachess and Amaterasu are the first of the Will Galaxy, a planet that is the first of the Will Galaxy. They are the first of the Will Galaxy, a planet that is the first of the Will Galaxy.

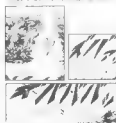
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## (Last Millennium of the AD Era)

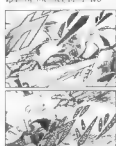
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|         | (Last Millennia of the AD Era)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | IC 2135 | Amaterasu makes improvements in the exarctic external combustion engine used throughout the Galaxy to generate heavy energy.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Halothe Temple on island 95 kilometers across hovers 5000 meters in the atmosphere above the planet. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| AD 4000 | Iron is discovered<br>Irons are obtained and colorized.<br>An immense empire arises towards the supercontinent of Asia and India.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | IC 2800 | The beginning of a century of frequent internal disputes and military aggression prompted in part by the mortal feud's ability to minimize casualties and destruction of property in the process of territorial expansion.                                                                                                                       | IC 2987                                                                                              | One of the Galaxy's most authoritative scientists Dr. Balanice decides that a far more defensible way would be to find for Atropos, one of his "three fates of destiny," and allows her to escape.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| AD 5000 | Kanta or the "Blazing Engines"<br>The earliest engines at various times of past eras.<br>The first interplanetary wars around powerful weapons.<br>Invention of nuclear destructives, weapon known as Atomic Bombs, nuclear chamber.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | IC 3310 | A vital processor greatly improving the control of mortal feuds is developed by the mad scientist Lithium Balance, also called the "Lithium," an artificial life form physiologically identical to human beings.                                                                                                                                 | IC 3988                                                                                              | Dr. Balanice's final two fates, "Wealth and the Colus' come of age. Amaterasu acquires Lithorus, while Clelio is taken into the care of King Clelio I.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| AD 6000 | The first interstellar exploration<br>Continuous intergalactic wars cause such devastation extending far beyond what the human species has ever imagined of rearmaments and atomic weaponry in fact.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | IC 3384 | Amaterasu is enthroned as the ruler of Gates at the age of 500. One day, a mysterious peninsula appears, much later the cause of extinction of some among three centuries of Devils.                                                                                                                                                             | IC 3989                                                                                              | Three leviathan edge mortar heads, called LED Mirages, join the forces of the Colus Dynasty against neighbor aggressor Kingdom. Mortimer Lashley Sopp is entrusted with the jeweled sword of the Colus Royal Family, and the royal family's M.I. Hunchman is sea of dust with Clelio inside.                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| AD 8000 | A new type of world of four solar systems seems to exist.<br>Revolution of planets take place of evolution of worlds in the works of Adler and Amaterasu where planets form sun are made of matter.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | IC 3397 | Despite his 577 years, Amaterasu has remarkably not aged significantly since reaching adulthood.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | IC 3992                                                                                              | Arupos begins 550 years of service with an infant LED Dragon.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| AD 9000 | The stellar exploration reaches on massive and vast adventures further farther home planets.<br>The influence of Kanta of nations grows so independent states rise.<br>Basic units of humanity is perfected.<br>Explosion of outer the external combustion combustion engine, reflecting spirit of man's desire to know how.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | IC 3400 | Amaterasu's Eastern Solar System and the Northern Solar System, which is ruled by orange and powered by eight different kinds of planetary genetic coexistence, while the smaller countries are there throughout the Southern and Western Solar Systems remain in political turmoil. This time it was produced of both mortal heads and fat men. | IC 3994                                                                                              | Magedal and Denre are born in the Republic of Ethiopia in the Western Solar system.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|         | (The Joker Millennia)*                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3609 | Amaterasu makes the acquaintance of a strange, futuristic, alien race.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | IC 3997                                                                                              | The LED Mirage fleet and Amaterasu's Knight Legion are sent behind the Galaxy Second phase of the Mirage Knights.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| IC 0001 | Simplification continues in the minds of the Galaxy's mortals who, despite the interplanetary differences, are becoming less intelligent and violent.<br>Mortals begin to become like the Joker.<br>A time period in time however, human civilization reaches its zenith and begins its decline.<br>The Joker Galaxy enters a period of simplification of itself. A variation on the once described in the other features of the universe exists with species existing, adding its own existence from the free-time existence of the Joker. The number race is now in a process of self-evolution from the point of view of the Joker, significant historical events occur in human terms. | IC 3810 | Amaterasu spends ten years watching the Corps of water or headwaters, long rivers, impounded in the mechanism of the Mirage Knights.                                                                                                                                                                                                             | IC 3010                                                                                              | The "Majestic Mand" begins, and the Galaxy is thrown into greater potential turbulence than it has ever experienced.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| IC 0080 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3813 | Amaterasu's internal wounds are organized into an order of magnitude known as the First Eastern Mirage Corps, which is seven command of the five imperial courts, and charged with ensuring their mortal because in quieting mortal and military tensions.                                                                                       | IC 3079                                                                                              | Prince Magedal is crowned ruler of the Holy Leo A.T. Empire.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| IC 0090 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3875 | Amaterasu unifies sixteen eastern countries under the name of Kingdom of Kees. Similarly, in the Southern Solar System, Clelio II rules the super power over the planet, and sends his kingdoms on his orders into the Colus Dynasty.                                                                                                            | IC 3162                                                                                              | Adler is incorporated into the AKD and becomes Amaterasu's base of military operations, commanding a huge soldier expeditionary force.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| IC 0090 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3878 | Amaterasu is reported missing present of the Devil.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | IC 3180                                                                                              | Amaterasu begins construction of the Galaxy's largest space vessel, the W.I.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| IC 0090 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3899 | Amaterasu and Dr. Balanice enter into a combination pact. Amaterasu Kingdom Demence thereafter AKD. The report of this union is greeted with surprise and apprehension in the West.                                                                                                                                                              | IC 3185                                                                                              | Construction of the W.I. is completed, and on August 1st is heightened among the people over a dramatic situation.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| IC 0090 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 3900 | Amaterasu's resources, including the Galaxy's entire population, are being synthesized into a single unit, created in less than 10 years before he transforms into a deity-like entity. He is the second prince in the Northern Solar System, he is a member of the Galactic Council of his own planetary government, and he is a deity.         | IC 3199                                                                                              | Amaterasu launches an invasion on Both in the Western Solar System. Many of the plan's results welcome the invasion as the arrival of peaceful stability in a chaotic situation that has continued since the beginning of the Majestic Mand. But it is quickly incorporated into the AKD. However, the real on of Kastepno is the element of human for some reason is able to remain a former status as a free and autonomous district, and only the Holy Leo A.T. Empire is crushed, severely. |
| IC 0090 | First interplanetary war between Devils and Humans.<br>The Devil's attack on the Devil's Sun of System is repelled. Amaterasu, Clelio and Kanta Fydas (Amaterasu's son) intervene in the conflict and win the victory.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | IC 0055 | Amaterasu's son, Amaterasu, is born.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | IC 3285                                                                                              | The moving star system of Mant with a 2500 year orbit approaches the inner Galaxy, and it is predicted that Mant will increase the instability of the Galaxy already caused by minimal resource depletion.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |



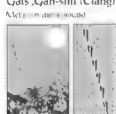
**ゴオオ、ゴオオ**  
Gohht, Gooht  
(Fwroosh)  
Sound of a high speed  
Also, a burst of high speed



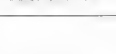
**ズバ、ズバ、ズバ**  
Zhubaht (Shakk)  
Zuh-bah, Zu bah-bah-  
bah-bah!  
Aware cutting into flesh  
with a force capable of  
splitting the material in two



**ジュ、ジュンジュン**  
Juh, Juhn-juhn  
(Sizzle, fshstt)  
Burning metal cool liquid  
spices on over a hot metal



**カツ、ガシツ**  
Gats, Gah-shit (Clang)  
Metal on metal sound



**リリリリ**  
Rih-rh-rh-rh  
Ring, chime, an iron



**ゴゴゴゴ**  
GOGOGOGGO  
(Rhuuuuuuuu)  
Sound of a motor or car or  
space craft traveling in  
the air space



**ゴンゴンゴン**  
Gong-gong gong  
Ring of a large bell



**チツツ、パババ**  
Chht-chht (Rrrzzt)  
Pha-pah-pah-pah  
(Tak-tak)  
Electronic sound  
Keyboard typing



**クッ**  
Kuh kuht  
Tackling a firm solid



**ドサツ、ドカッ**  
Dohsaht, Doh-kah-kah  
(Whump, Fa-lopi)  
Sound of a body falling to the  
ground after stumbling in  
falling over to the ends



**ブツ、ブン**  
Buh, BUHN  
(Bweec, Voosh)  
Sound of a object cutting the  
air at tremendous speed



**ボン**  
Bohn  
(Blap, Crack, Boom)  
Also let cutting its target  
match very crackle apart an  
explosion



**ズン、ズンズン**  
Zuhn, Zhut (Sssss)  
Zhun-Zhun-Zhun  
An enormous object in time the  
ground. Also earth tremors  
movement, the huge object  
moved a appearance



**ググッ**  
Guh-guht  
Tugging at something with a  
once a dash taking a firm  
stand



**パチパチパチ**  
Pahchi-pahchi-pahchi  
(Snap-crackle-pop)  
Fire burning in a fireplace  
spitting fire in a burnt out  
building



**バキッ、ボキッ**  
Bahkht, Bohkh  
(Crash)  
Sound of something breaking  
instantaneously



**バツ**  
Baht (Flap)  
Sound of a wind whipped  
cluck



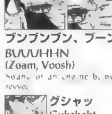
**カッ**  
Gahlaht  
(Dunt, Tungk)  
Sound of a  
object hitting  
the floor  
padding water drops



**ギイ**  
Gih (Creak)  
A creaky hinge, door, or  
cane



**シュー、シュウ**  
Shuuh, Shyou-Shyou  
(Chk, Ssshhss)  
Sound of two objects  
from an aerosol can or release  
of pressurized steam or gas



**ドバツ**  
Dohbaht, Doh-bah-  
baht (Blorp, Splat)  
A large amount of viscous  
liquid being dumped a large  
dropping (boos)



**グシャツ**  
Gushaht  
(Splat)  
Sound of an  
object rupturing  
on impact

# Special Effects

In Fox Star Stories' character-driven, low-key and low-budget anime, the language of sound effects was built around the show's minimalist aesthetic. Here are 10 special effects that enhance the series' unique atmosphere.



**パチッ、パチパチパチ**  
Pahchi, Pahchi pahchi-pahchi (ZZT-zzt)

Recesses of electricity striking objects



**ブワッ**  
Buhwaht

Low-pressure cushioning or very loose physical contact



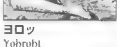
**ボワッ**  
Bohwaht (Thoom)

Pressure of a blow



**ミシッ**  
Mishshi (Shush-shushi)

Whispering quality of his breath



**ヨロッ**  
Yohroht

Applauding or cheering



**シーン**  
Sheeen

Somber, contemplative, or quiet



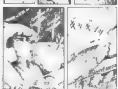
**ババッ、バアッ**  
Ba baht (flap)

Soft, cushiony contact



**ピッ、ピビビ**  
Pihhi, Pee-pee-pee-pee, Pip-pip-pip (Blip, Bleep)

Sound effects of a cat



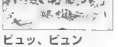
**ギキッ、ギキッギキ**  
Gih-giht (Screee)

Large movement of body



**ズス、ザザ、ザザザ**  
Zhu-zhut, Zah-zah-zah, Zah-zah zah zah

Friction sound of a sliding object or a sharp, quickly expressed, unpleasant mouth



**ビュッ、ビュン**  
Byuht, Byuhn (Bweee)

Sound of a liquid or a soft object



**ザバッ、ザバアッ、ザッバア、ザアアア**  
Zahbaht, Zabaah, Zahbahzah, Zaaaahhh (Spltoosh)

Large amount of water being released from a part



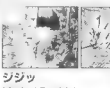
**ポチャッ、ドブン**  
Polchat, Dohbuhn (Splash, Kersplash)

A sound of the water



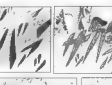
**スズ、サザ、サザザ**  
Toht Toht-toht toht

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



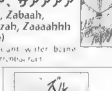
**ジジッ**  
Ihjiht (Crackle)

Butterfly wings



**ズル**  
Zuh-ruhl

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**ハアハア**  
Haah-haah (Pant-pant)

Out of breathing heavy



**トッ、トットット**  
Toht Toht-toht toht

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



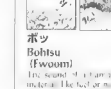
**カラッ**  
Gahraht (Clanggg)

How a character in a hard surface



**ゴゴゴゴ**  
Goroh-Goroh-Goroh (Rrrmmblbl)

Sound of a liquid or a soft object



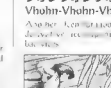
**ポツポツポツ**  
Pohtsu-Pohtsu-Pohtsu

The appearance of rain drops



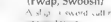
**ガサガサ**  
Gahsah-gahsah

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**フウフウフウ**  
Buuuuuu (Bbbdroom)

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**ボツ**

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**ボツ**  
Bohtsu (Fwoom)

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**ガサガサ**  
Gahsah-gahsah

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



**フウフウフウ**  
Buuuuuu (Bbbdroom)

A sound of a liquid or a soft object



# MIRAGE KNIGHT UNIFORMS



F.E.M.C No 11 Leopard Crythars  
Male Battle Uniform



F.E.M.C No.9 Dipha Dorops  
Female Battle Uniform



F.E.M.C No 14 Sharie Randers  
Female Battle Uniform



Battle Cape  
F.E.M.C No.10 Hind Kill

(Presently third in command after Rogner and Aisha)  
Kill refuses to reveal his countenance, by always wearing a gold-colored mask in public. Success in finding out why he has been put third in the line of the Mirage command will be the cause of his death



F.E.M.C No.7 Lie Ex

F.E.M.C No.8 Aisha Codante  
God! I must out of my mind  
doing this!

## Chest Protector for Women Combatants

Actually, the apparatus is first inserted into the battle uniforms shown on the left. In either case, it must be damned uncomfortable and the cause of back ache





THE FATES from Goethe's Faust: The  
Second Part of the Tragedy, Act II,  
Scene 2: The Spacious Hall

# Atropos

Like eldest Fate, first to sever  
For the who to spin not inside  
Much to think of, much to ponder  
In life's tender thread to binden  
Faint flax I wove now heat  
That your thread be supple, tender

Fingers shrewd will work threads  
Make it even, a smooth and slender  
To who warm to the dance of fate  
All too warm, snuff a licker  
Think I sat, his thread has a measure  
I have a care! I might be broken

# Clotho

Know ye that the strands we weave  
Given to my care to hold  
For our Ancient we start greatly  
Did I much more easily  
She traces in the levels of spheres  
On a sun in nature's light  
Promise of most glorious women  
Lips and drooping eyes of sight  
Yet since I was young and running  
I sawered off in these years  
Now I use it to curb restraining  
In the case, keep the sheets  
So I gladly wear a bangle  
And this scene with my survey  
In these hours so gay and idle  
Reve, not sport and play

# Lachesis

On time, alone I seem to  
Was the thread I wove I decreed  
For my reel forever turning  
Never ended through too great speed  
Threads are cunning, threads are reel  
Each one in its course I guide  
None may it go from spindle wheeling  
Each must its own path  
Could I once I regret on fate  
To the world I'd fear with pain  
Hours they count, and years they measure  
And the Weave takes the skin

# Amaterasu

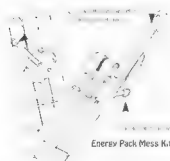
And so history was spun as The Fates relate  
So in 777 on Fortune, the fifth constellation  
My beloved Lachesis, our daughter Kallen and I shall await  
The end of Joker, now a semi tragic civilization



## THE COLUS MILITARY: The Grunts

## Regular Infantry Combat Uniform

A most all combinations in the field. Both a fact and not after wear coming into an arms world. After according to the time and the season. (see) coming into arms are both. After are more durable than in case of the carrying counterparts. There is also a common spray that comes of the fact and the case of her attitudes. (see) example for the waste in the arms. (see) arms are worn by all the persons in the arms and female arms. (see) the fact of the fact in the arms and the arms.

762mm Sem. Automatic  
CZ 501 Pistol

Canteen



First Aid Kit

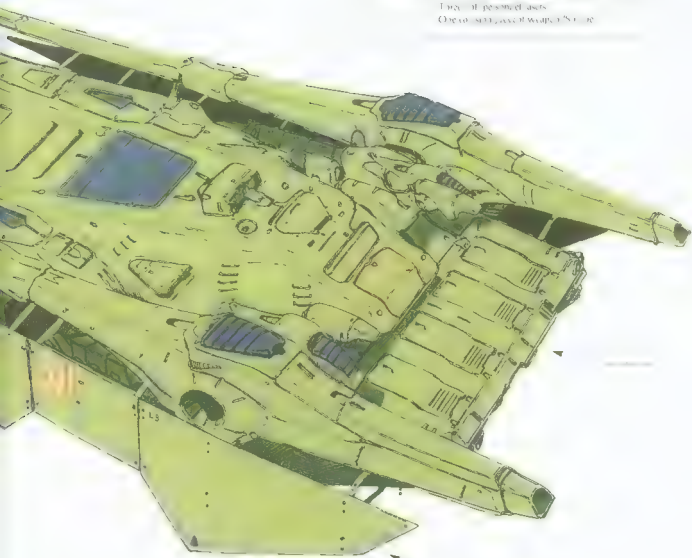


MU-17 Assault Laser Rifle

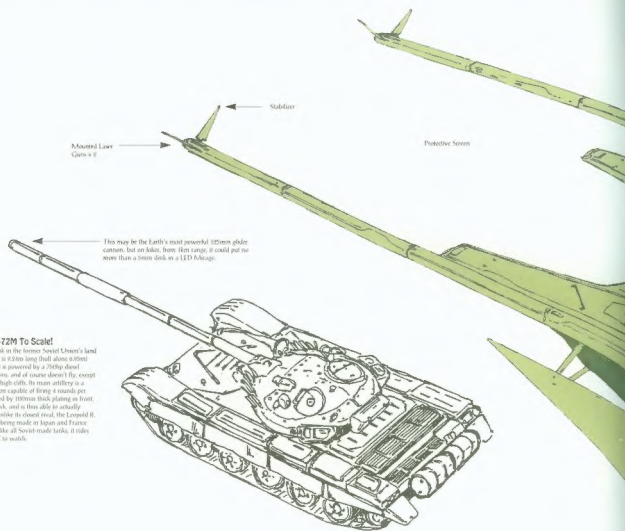
Resembles both the dye and mechanism of the Feckerle & Kottler  $C_{60}$  is the regular or piece of the former. A cell  $C_{60}$  main arm. The main difference is that in contrast to the cell is case less amorphous on rotary belt and blow back. The 17 focus energy basilar arm after electricity into a rotary ball and from them electronically. That is, the same uses the same

principle as the Australian says "X magnifies on STERACK" by which conventionalists can naturally start by us from the rectitude of the United Nations' solution is the usual one. It eventually comes down to this: because it does not look like also increase the chance of heat and rain in clouds. They are not like the faces of snakes.



[illegible]

# THE COLUS MILITARY: The Air Ballele Me-2



## The Russian T-72M To Scale!

Thus, the newest tank in the former Soviet Union's land arsenal (as of 1988), is 9.2m long (tall alone 0.69m) and 3.37m wide. It is powered by a 750hp diesel engine, weighs 41 tons, and of course doesn't fly, except straight down over high cliffs. Its main artillery is a 125mm glider cannon capable of firing 4 rounds per minute. It is protected by 105mm thick plating in front, 78mm plating in back, and is thus able to actually repulse ordnance, unlike its closest rival, the Leopard II, or the B101 cepes being made in Japan and France these days. Finally, like all Soviet-made tanks, it rides low and is beautiful to watch.

As introduced in FSS Vol. IV, the air ballele airborne tank is the main weapon of the Colus Dynasty's Atmospheric Forces. Officially known as the Me-2 Type 02c (the "c" means it meets Colus design standards), these air balleles are massive pieces of military machinery equipped with twin 180mm gun launchers, but without turrets, making the guns themselves virtually immovable. The way in which they are aimed is similar to the Swedish-built S-Tank that freely maneuvers the vehicle vertically and laterally. The Me-2 is capable of take-off on as little as 50 meters of runway and can fly at up to 250km/hr. In battle, the tank is flown so that the commander and gunner are always looking at their opponent straight down the muzzles of the two launchers. In this position, the Me-2 is

least vulnerable to enemy fire and can activate its energy barrier most effectively.

The superior performance of the Me-2 is best attested to by the fact that it is deployed in the armies of over 80 countries in the Galaxy, 10 of them, including the Trio de Colus, holding licenses to manufacture the tank. Incidentally, the Amaterasu Kingdom Demesnes forces (not the Mirage Knights) employ a model of the air ballele in defending part of their territory on Addler.

This brings us to the question of variation. Me-2s vary as much as the M4 Sherman, the former having a number of hull designs on which to mount the two launchers. As a matter of fact, the

scene from FSS Vol. IV would lead us to believe that no two are exactly alike.

Another important reason why the Me-2 is so popular is that what we have described as stowage bins in the rear of the hull are in fact often converted into troop carriers, capable of transporting 15 soldiers fully equipped for battle. The bins can also be used as command modules or normal freight containers.

The Me-2's hull and armor are painted in the Dynasty's characteristic "mocking bird" green. At the Battle of Atork, however, desert yellow was considered more appropriate. The Me-2 is a huge tank, twice as large and 4.5 times as heavy as the T-72M (see the above illustration), but when operating on the

ground, it stands no higher than a Si-HILKA.

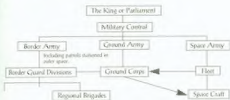
The super MOUSE's that Lachesis will come upon in Berlin 1945 can only be called "kind of cute" when compared to the scale of the air ballele, the sight of which would have elicited only one comment from the German high command, "We surrender!" After all, seven or eight rounds from those two 188's could blow an aircraft carrier the size of the Enterprise or the Yamato right out of the water!



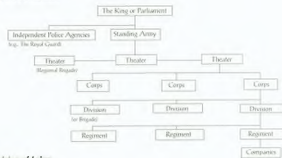
#### Orders of Headliners



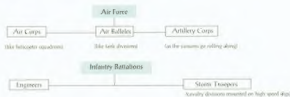
#### Outer Space Forces Chain of Command



#### Atmospheric Forces Chain of Command



#### Atmospheric Forces Division of Labor



In the case of a military invasion of foreign territory, theaters of war are organized with both atmospheric and outer space units combined into single armies consisting of landing fleets and corps of fighting divisions.

## THE COLUS MILITARY: The Battle of Atork in JC 2989

### The Trio de Colus

The largest country on planet Jino economically supported by agriculture and natural resource industries and one of the few truly peaceful nations in the Galaxy with a long history of ethnic, cultural and political continuity free from outside aggression. It consists of the territories of the three royal families of Colus, Meistner and Ballanka. The Colus first born son becomes the successor to the throne in a system of strict primogeniture. In the case of no Colus heirs, the first born of the Meistner and Ballanka families take leadership of the Trio, but do not inherit the Colus name, unless the Colus bloodline becomes extinct.



- Country   ● National Capital   □ Provincial Capital   ○ Regional City  
Frio de Colus Territory   Colus Ally   Enemy Territory   Neutral Country

### Some Background

As of JC 2009, the Colus Dynasty was the largest kingdom (about the size of India) on Juno, the 3rd planet in the Jolker Galaxy's Southern Solar System. The Dynasty consisted of the three families of Colus, which was the Dynasty's main line of royal descent. Meistner and Bailanka, each holding territory divided into from 7 to 10 provinces. The capital city of Iarh was located in almost the geographic center of the Trio de Colus on a plateau of much more temperate climate than the normal tropical

### The Battle of Atork

The map on page 78 is the Atorik battle plan up to June 1969. I Hagooda began its invasion of Colus territory in February of that year, to which Colus responded by dispatching troops to defend the cities of Shalsha in Mestner and Atorik in Ballanka. The I Hagooda expeditionary forces, 70% of which were manned by foreign legions, circumvented both towns and concentrated their attack on the space between them. The Colus forces then entered this space and stopped any further penetration. This stalemate continued until June, when 80% of the Hagooda army, led by the "Boowrays" from Fillmore, launched a massive attack on Atorik from the eastern side of Lake Luli, behind the Colus 3rd and 6th Corps guarding the city on the western

conditions of the kingdom, 80% of which was covered by rain forests. In contrast, the countries of Olma and Mosso to the west were located in the desert.

Incidentally, Colus' rival at the Battle of Atork, the Hagooda Empire, will immediately after its impending defeat in the war be placed under the rule of the Trio de Colus and officially established as the Colus Dynasty's Territory of Hagooda in JC 3180.

front. The *Maogoda* offensive pushed forward into Colus territory as indicated on the map. It was here that the Colus forces met the enemy and established a line of defense at the *Mirus* Industrial Complex with the retreating *Rallanka* 2nd Regiment. The mixed Colus 3rd Regiment, Allied forces from the Milan Republic and *Ilfad* formed a second line behind them. Attack divisions were sent in, but it was the supply and reserve divisions that gave most of the support to the Colus defense effort. Some 16 corps 88 from Colus, 5 from *Rallanka* and 3 from *Meistner* made up of 62 divisions took part in the defense of *Atork*, in addition to the *Dynasty* Armed Forces.

### Military Personnel and the Chain of Command

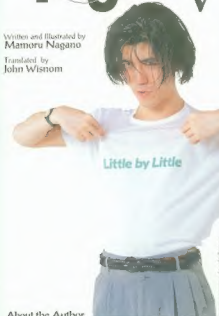
At the time of the Battle of Atork, the Colus forces were divided into atmospheric and outer space divisions. The atmospheric divisions were further divided into land, sea and air sectors. However, the outer space division, which was usually charged mainly with national border defense, was nevertheless called into action with its armored divisions of air balloons, etc., which have excellent atmospheric capabilities, including maritime navigation. Therefore, neither the conventional atmospheric naval nor air divisions were involved in the Battle. In other case, since war in the Joker Galaxy was now being waged with the sole intention of territorial expansion (maybe a little machoism still tainted the periphery), it was the military's land-based divisions that played the most crucial role in the defense of Atork, one of the Colus Dynasty's most highly industrialized regions. For the Colus atmospheric divisions were not divided into air, navy and air force like in post World War II Earth history, but were rather mustered directly under a top command, in an attempt to minimize both disjunction and confusion. This chain of command is shown in the following diagrams.



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Artist, comic writer, musician, designer, and Macintosh reclus, Mamoru Nagano was born in the city of Maizuru, Kyoto Prefecture in January 1960. In 1984 he made his animation debut as the character designer of the TV cartoon "Heavy Metal L-Gaim." His first comic, "Tool for the City," was published in *New Type* magazine in 1985, followed by the "Five Star Stories" series, which began in 1986. Four stories were completed by 1990, then in summer 1997, Story #5 was begun. *FSS* was first published in paperback by Kadokawa, which released 9 volumes with a total sales of 5 million copies, marking it as a popular long seller among Japanese comic fans. The author's latest work is another animated series entitled "Brain-Powered." Much of his work is under copyright of and being published by his own company, Toys, Inc.

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## A Vast Tale Promising to Straddle the Centuries

### Five Star Stories Vols. I-III



It is the Joker Calendar year J.C. 2988, one of the Galaxy's most prestigious fatima meilights, Dr. Chrome Ballanche, completes the work on his final two masterpieces, Lachesis and Clotho, only to have them taken into custody by the local lord, a depraved upstart merchant by the name of Grand Duke Juba Bardaim who covets the two fatimas to satisfy his outlandish lecheries. Ballanche has no one to turn to for help but his longtime friend Ladios Sopp, one of Amaterasu's disguises, to save his two daughters from Juba's slimy clutches. Before the debut at which the two fatimas are to choose their masters, an event rigged by Juba, Clotho makes a run for it, and with the help of Sopp, Voards Veivlard, (the president of the local Trün Union in disguise) and Amaterasu's Mirage Knights, Clotho finds a protector in the warrior-king extraordinaire, Colus III of the planet Jüno. Then on the day of the debut, Sopp is reunited with Lachesis and they run off together with Juba and his headliner "nephews" Decors and Terrora in hot pursuit. Just as the two elopers are about to be captured, Amaterasu's outrageous mortar head, the Knight of Gold appears out of nowhere and saves the day. Meanwhile, back at Juba's palace, Voards, now undisguised as President Mission Rouath, makes a thorough investigation of Juba's countless wrongdoings and restores order to his troubled republic.

### Five Star Stories Vols. IV & V



One year after the Juba Bardaim incident, J.C. 2989, the kingdoms ruled by Clotho's protector Colus III are suddenly and mysteriously invaded by the neighboring empire of H-agooda, which we find out later is being backed by superpowers from other planets, such as Fillmore on Kallamity and H-lathutha on Both. The young Colus III boards his brand new mortar headd, Jünchoon, for a test run out on the front lines, encounters the mortar headd of a Boowray Mercenary in the employ of H-agooda, and in the battle that ensues loses his beloved fatima Ulruc, who is killed by the Boowray knight while fighting to protect her badly wounded master. This incident stuns Colus' allies throughout the Galaxy, who rush in to join the anti-H-agooda movement that is slowly swelling up all over Jüno. Among the volunteers and mercenaries flowing into the Colus Dynasty's lath Airport we find none other than Ladios Sopp, who owes a great debt to Colus for his gallantry at the debut held the previous year. There is also a flashback of how Colus and Ulruc first met in J.C. 2957, explaining the bitter resentment held by Vralgo Kentauro of Fillmore towards the King of the Trio de Colus and Vralgo's sworn vendetta.

### Five Star Stories Vols. VI-VIII



During the war with H-agooda, the Colus Dynasty palace becomes the gathering place of dignitaries from all over the Galaxy, including Ladios Sopp (aka Amaterasu), Voards Viewlard (aka Mission Rouath), the Black Knight and master swordsmen Rados Dragon, and a meeting place for Mirage Knight Sharie Randers and Prince Trao Ballanka, who will eventually marry, the rival fatimas Teala and Est, and Lachesis and her father's rival Dr. Morard. The sorely under-powered Jünchoon receives an overhaul with a LED Mirage engine from Sopp and is called to arms by an deeply inspired Clotho. As the anti-H-agooda movement reaches its peak, Colus decides to stage a counter-offensive, which results in victory for the Trio, but only at the cost of its ruler's life at the hands of none other than Vralgo Kentauro. During the sudden attack on Jünchoon, Clotho, with her master dead in the cockpit, employs every bit of the skill and strength entrusted to her in crushing Vralgo's MI-1 Siren, but in the end loses consciousness and is sealed within her magnificent mortar headd. Finally, Vol. VIII jumps forward to the year 4071 and the anti-Amaterasu resistance movement on the planet Addler.

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